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## SENSATIONAL POLITICAL CHARGES AT U.S. BANKING INQUIRY

### GERMANY'S MORATORIUM IMPENDING

Depends On Economic Conference.  
CAPACITY TO PAY RESTS ON WORLD DECISIONS.

Berlin, Yesterday.  
Commenting on the impending moratorium on German debts, the German newspapers agree that the measures foreshadowed by Dr. Schacht, President of the Reichsbank, are absolutely essential for the protection of debtor and creditor alike, and must be enforced till an arrangement has been reached with creditors who are tolerable towards Germany.

The *Hoerrenschneider* states that the final decision of Germany's capacity to pay, rests with the World Economic Conference. Its decisions will be positive if international trade relations are to be reasonably arranged, but negative if the Statesmen do not replace the policy of a beaten path by a policy of constructive purpose, the paper states.—Reuter.

**£1,000,000,000 Involved In Foreign Debts.**  
GERMANY'S TRADE MUST BE RESTORED.

Berlin, Yesterday.  
A moratorium for all Germany's foreign debts will be announced shortly after Whitsun, stated Dr. Schacht, President of the Reichsbank, yesterday.

The importance of Dr. Schacht's statement regarding the moratorium for Germany's foreign debts, is shown by the fact that the total debt involved is estimated at some 20,000,000,000 marks, equivalent to £1,000,000,000, on which service charges totalling about \$65,000,000 fall due during the current year. The United States is Germany's biggest creditor with a total of 8,016,000,000 marks. Holland comes next with 3,427,000,000 marks, and Britain third with 2,231,000,000 marks.

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### PRINCE WILHELM MARRIES

Ex-Kaiser's Wishes Disregarded.

CHEERING CROWDS GREET COUPLE.

Bonn, Yesterday.  
Prince Wilhelm, the eldest son of the German Crown Prince, married Miss Dorothea, Von Salviati, at the town hall here this morning.

Cheering crowds greeted the couple on arrival. There was a brief civil ceremony conducted by Herr Thalerbach, one of the leading officials of the registry office.

The bride's eldest brother, Lieutenant Von Salviati and Count Von Blumenthal, acted as witnesses. Afterwards, the couple drove to Victoria Villa, the home of the bride's mother, to prepare for the religious ceremony in the Lutheran Schloss Church, attached to the University.—Reuter.

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### 11 PERISH IN CALIFORNIAN EXPLOSION DISASTER.

Shock Shakes 30-Mile Area and Causes G.\$1,000,000 Damage.  
Long Beach, California, Yesterday.  
Eleven people were killed and 18 injured in an explosion at the Richfield Oil Company's refinery here yesterday.  
The explosion was over a radius of 30 miles, and the damage is estimated at G\$1,000,000.—Reuter.

### CHINESE CUSTOMS TARIFF

Harmful To British Trade.

JAPANESE PRODUCER TO SUFFER

London, Yesterday.

Although the consequences cannot yet be precisely estimated, there is no doubt that the new Chinese Customs Tariff will adversely affect British trade, declares "The Times," in a leading article, to-day. The paper declares that it is obviously as much inspired by political as financial motives, and the Nanking Government clearly hope to make the Japanese producer suffer for the country's policy in Manchuria. The plea was officially inspired in the Chinese press, that the Government must recoup itself for the loss of revenue from Manchuria, and that Japan must be held responsible for any inconveniences which may be caused, and which may not dissuade other Governments from following suit.—Reuter.

### ROUND-THE-WORLD FLIGHT.

U.S. Airman Hops Off For Ireland.

FORMER ATTEMPT RECALLED.

New York, Yesterday.

Lieutenant James Mattern, the well-known United States airman hopped off from here this morning at 4.30 a.m. for Newfoundland, from where he will begin a round-the-world solo flight.

His first stage is across the Atlantic, to Ireland. Last year Lieut. Mattern and Captain Bennett Griffin left Harbour Grace in an attempt to fly round the world. They crossed the Atlantic in 10 hours 50 seconds. They left Berlin the same night for Moscow, but made a forced landing at Minsk. The plane was wrecked and the occupants slightly injured.—Reuter.

### HORSE TRAVELS AT 41 M.P.H.

World's Record Broken At Epsom.

Epsom, Yesterday.

The world's record time for a race horse over five furlongs was broken to-day when Mr. Stalary's filly, *Devineeress*, covered the distance in 54 3/5 secs to win the Belmont Handicap at Epsom.

This effort represents a speed of over 41 m.p.h.—Reuter.

### MUSSOLINI AND KING ALBERT INVOLVED IN MORGAN PROBE

AMAZING ALLEGATIONS ARE DENIED BY BANKER

(Reuter's Special Service.)

WASHINGTON, YESTERDAY.  
AN ALLEGATION THAT STOCKS AT "BARGAIN" PRICES WERE DISTRIBUTED BY MESSRS. J. P. MORGAN AND COMPANY, THE WORLD-FAMOUS PRIVATE BANKING HOUSE, TO HIS MAJESTY, KING ALBERT OF BELGIUM, SIGNOR BENITO MUSSOLINI, THE ITALIAN DICTATOR, AND TO VARIOUS FRENCH POLITICIANS, CREATED A BIG SENSATION AT YESTERDAY'S HEARING OF THE SENATE INQUIRY INTO THE AFFAIRS OF THE COMPANY.

The suggestion was made by Senator Reynolds, during the examination of Mr. George Whitney, one of the partners of Messrs. Morgan and Co. Mr. Whitney vigorously denied all knowledge of it, and promised to secure for the Enquiry Committee, a list, showing how the shares sent to England and France were allotted.

Senator Reynolds had a political object behind his questions, which suggested that international bankers, including the firm of J. P. Morgan and Co., were intriguing to secure the cancellation of war debts to safeguard their European investments.



Mr. J. P. Morgan.

Mr. Whitney replied that he did not think the allotment of shares had any connection with war debts, or was detrimental to the welfare of the United States.

The names of many prominent United States officials and business men, have been revealed as privileged buyers of stock from Messrs. J. P. Morgan and Company, as the result of the enquiry into the dealings of the firm, which hitherto has never had to submit to the usual Governmental bank examinations, or to issue a public balance sheet.

Among these favoured "buyers" are Mr. William H. Woodin, United States Treasury Secretary, Mr. Norman Davis, United States Envoy to the Disarmament Conference, Colquhoun Charles Lindbergh and Mr. Harvey Couch, who is now Director of the Reconstruction Corporation.

One instance was shown where 56,500 units of Niagara-Hudson stock were sold for \$29 in 1929, when the market price was \$36. A further sensation was caused in the enquiry, when Mr. John Hackett, describing himself as a former Special Deputy Police Commissioner of New York City, filed charges against Mr. Ferdinand Pecora, investigating counsel, criticising Mr. Pecora's handling of the murder of "Dot" King, in 1923, when Mr. Pecora was Assistant Attorney General.

This action followed the attack made by Senator Carter Glass, who challenged Mr. Pecora's authority to act as counsel.

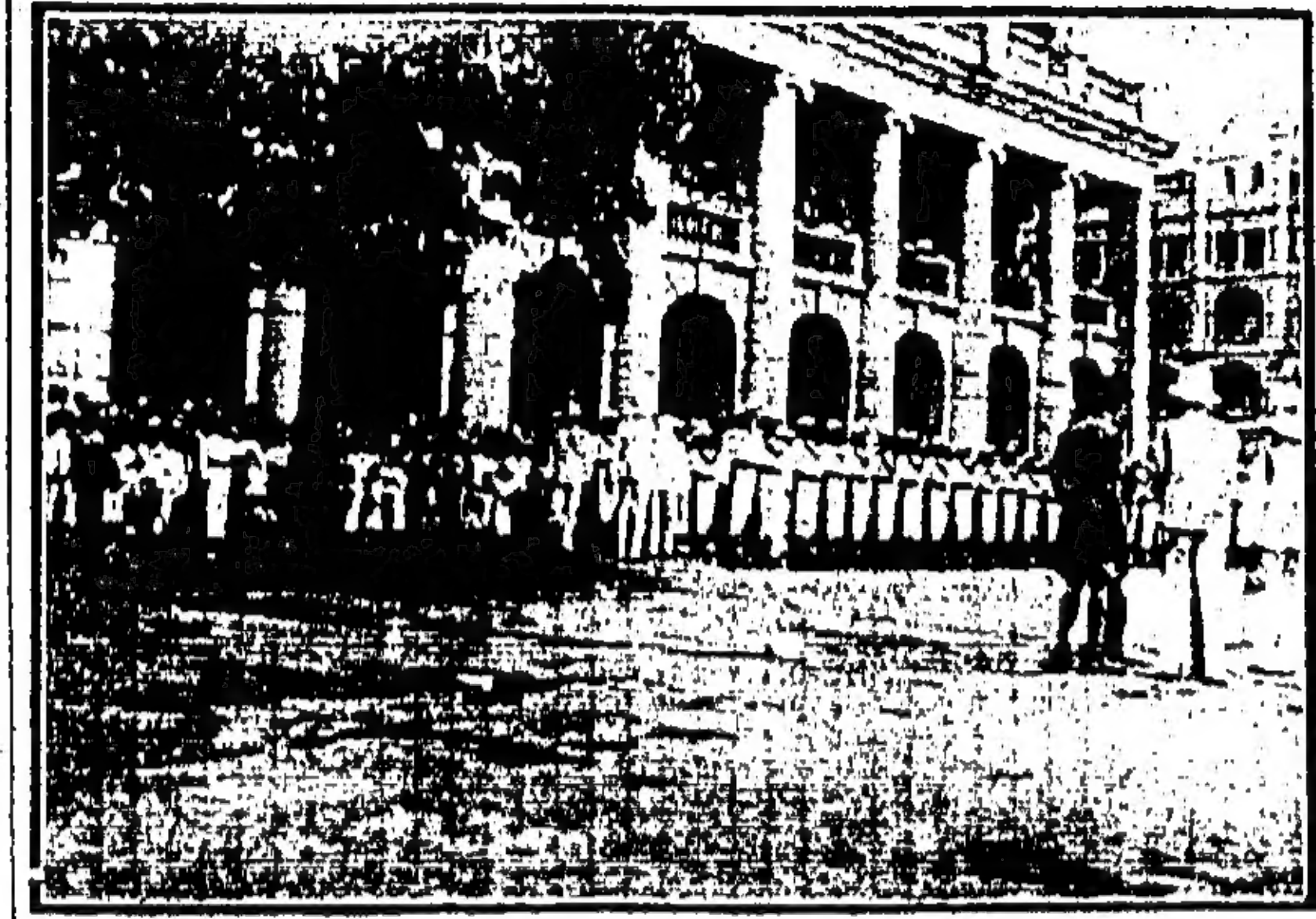
When told of Mr. Hackett's action, Mr. Pecora declared that he defied him to "go to the bottom" of the case, and he was cheered when he told Senator Glass that the Committee could have his resignation for the asking.

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### ISHII LEAVES FOR LONDON.

Japan's Delegate To Conference.  
New York, Yesterday.  
Viscount K. Ishii, who has been holding conversations at Washington, with President Roosevelt, left here to-day for England, on the White Star liner, "Olympic."

He is en route to London to participate in the World Economic Conference.—Reuter.



H. E. the G.O.C., Major-General O. C. Barrett, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., arriving at Statue Square yesterday for the King's Birthday parade.

### SOVIET CONSUL MAY EVACUATE

Disturbing Harbin Rumours.

MORE PROTESTS IN C. E. R. DISPUTE

Harbin, To-day.

M. Kouznetzoff has visited Li Shao-ken and verbally protested against the stoppage of transit traffic at Suifenho, which he considers a violation of the 1925 Chinese Eastern-Ussuri Railway Agreement, and has demanded the restoration of transit facilities.

Li Shao-ken categorically refused to do so. The Soviet Consul-General, M. Slavutsky, later repeated verbally the protest, but as it was considered informal, the Manchukuo representative said nothing.

It is rumoured that the U.S.S.R. Consulate is secretly preparing to evacuate.

According to the Russian Press, the military authorities have issued gas-masks to the inhabitants of Chita and the nearby districts.—Reuter.

### MA CHAN-SHAN AND SU RETURN.

Circuitous Trip From Soviet.

Local Chinese residents and Canton officials warmly welcomed General Ma Chan-shan and General Su Ping-wen, on their arrival here yesterday morning from Europe, on the s.s. Conte Rosso.

General Ma was reticent on the events in Manchuria, which caused his retreat into Soviet territory, but expressed confidence that he would find many followers upon his return to Chahar. He was inclined to disbelieve the report that a final compromise had been arrived at between Nanking and the Japanese.

Regarding his future movements, General Ma said that he was not sure that he would go to Nanking to report events.

### JAPANESE COAL MINE EXPLOSION.

46 Killed, 30 Badly Injured.

Tokyo, Yesterday.  
Forty-six miners were killed and 30 seriously injured in a coal mine explosion near Sasebo, this morning, according to an official report issued here this afternoon.—Reuter.

### DEMILITARIZED AREA

Hopei Government To Take Control.

JAPANESE TROOPS TO WITHDRAW.

Peking, Yesterday.

The General Impression now is that the Hopei Provincial Government will be left to arrange to take over the areas evacuated by the Japanese troops when they withdraw to the Great Wall.

General Yu Hsueh-chung, Chairman of the Provincial Government, is credited by Chinese sources with stating that he felt that the police force to control the demilitarized area should be organized along the lines of the Pao An Tui (Peace Preservation Corps) which are armed with rifles and machine-guns so as to be capable to deal with the local bandits.

General Yu added that he did not anticipate any difficulty in exterminating the irregulars in the Luan-tung region such as those under Li Chi-chun, as these forces do not exceed three thousand men.—Reuter.

### Irregulars In Luantung.

SINO-JAPANESE DISCUSSIONS IN TIENTSIN.

Peiping, Yesterday.  
Chinese delegates headed by General Hsueh Ping are now discussing with Japanese military authorities in Tientsin concerning the future of those irregulars now in Luantung (the region east of the Luan River), which took part in the recent war operations, but which the Japanese assert do not belong to Manchukuo.

General Hsueh Ping, who signed the armistice at Tangku for China, went to Tientsin yesterday, accompanied by five other delegates.—Reuter.

### FREE STATE DUTIES.

New Tariff Walls Erected.

(Reuter's Special Service.)

London, Yesterday.  
Perambulators and 400th brushes figure in the new list of import duties announced by the Irish Free State Parliament, yesterday.

The former are penalised to the extent of 75 per cent., with a preferential rate of 50 per cent., and the latter to the extent of 50 per cent. ad valorem duty.

### REBELS LOOT KUYUAN AFTER OPENING GAOLS

General Liu Joins Feng?

CHAHAR DEFENCE ARMY RECRUITED.

Peking, Yesterday.  
It is reported that rebels occupied Kuyuan, north-east of Kalgan, on May 31, looting and freeing all prisoners from the gaol.

A communique issued to-night suggests that the Manchukuo General Liu Kuei-tang has joined General Feng Yu-hsiang, who is busily recruiting for his so-called Chahar Defence army.

Yu Hsueh-chung arrived from Tientsin this afternoon and conferred with General Huang Fu and General Ho Ying-ching.—Reuter.

### FENG ENFORCES RECRUITING

Demands For 200 Men And \$120,000.

CONTINUES TO CAUSE EMBARRASSMENT.

Peking, Yesterday.  
General Feng Yu-hsiang appears intent on causing the authorities some embarrassment, if Chinese reports from Kalgan are true. It is stated that General Feng is now busily recruiting, using the few troops he now commands to enforce his demands on the magistrates of the various Chahar districts that they provide both men and money, the large districts being under orders to supply 200 men and \$120,000.

The troops of General Sun Tien-ying are now in the Yen-king district, and it is reported that General Feng Yu-hsiang's recruiting agents are working their territory without molestation.—Reuter.

### SHANGHAI MURDER SENSATION

Ex-U.S. Marine Surrenders.

Britisher's Death After Quarrel.

Shanghai, Yesterday.  
Glen Hargrave, an ex-United States marine, at present a Ford car salesman, has voluntarily surrendered to the United States District Attorney following the death of a Britisher, Leslie Malcolm Bell, aged thirty-five.

Mr. Bell, who was educated at Bedford School, was allegedly killed as the result of a blow which knocked him down outside the Shanghai Club, following a quarrel concerning the sale of a car.

There is a possibility of Hargrave facing a murder charge following the inquest on June 9.—Reuter.

Mr. Bell was found by two passers-by, lying in an unconscious condition on the Bund on Wednesday afternoon. He was rushed to hospital, but died on Thursday morning without regaining consciousness. A wound was found on his chin, and a post-mortem was made.

Deceased was employed with Messrs. Mustard and Company, and was well-known in Shanghai, where he was a member of the A.D.C.—Reuter.





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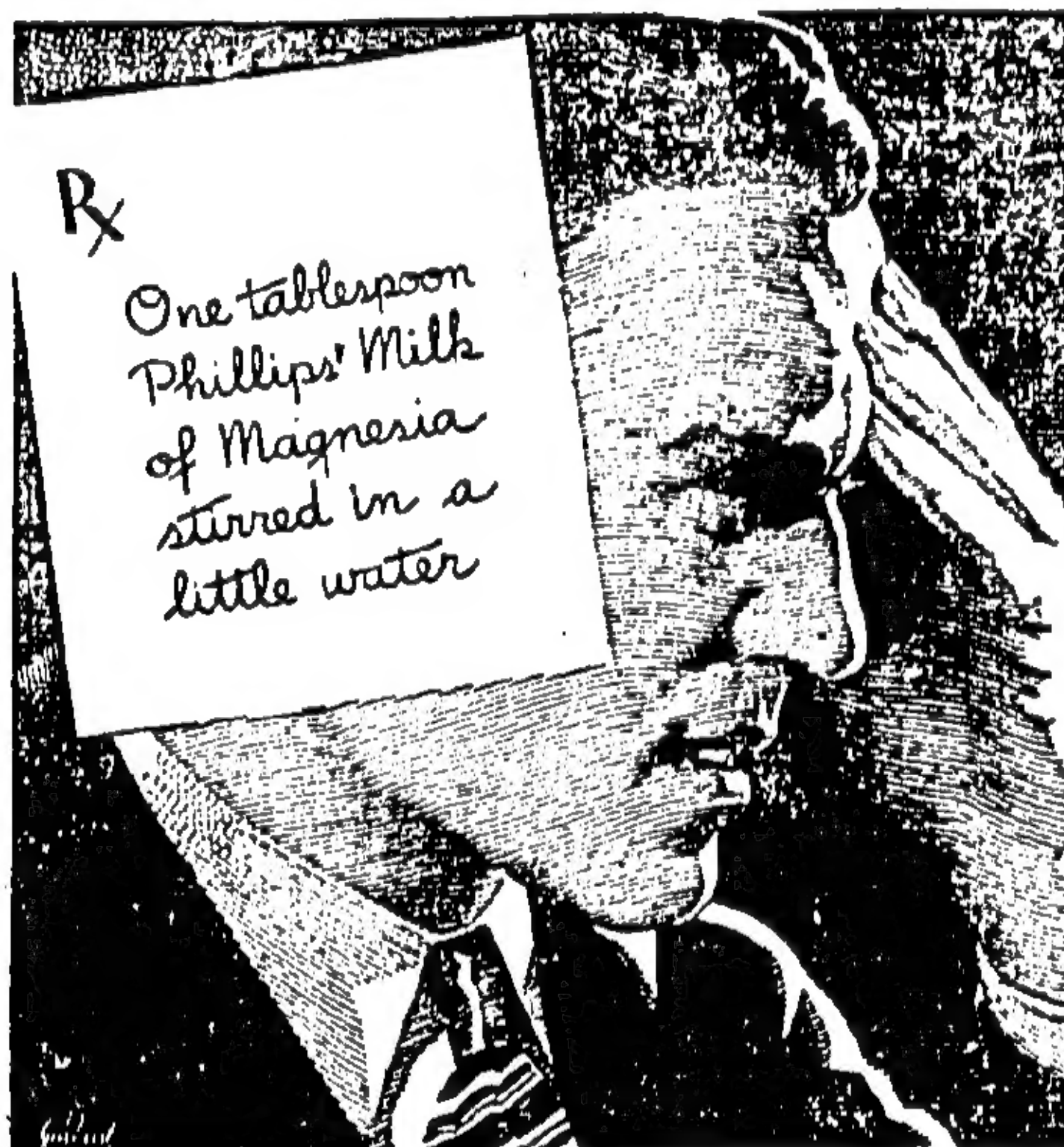
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### COLONY'S WATER SUPPLY

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#### BENEFITS OF YESTERDAY'S RAINS

About two weeks' water supply for the Island and the mainland has been added to the Colony's reservoirs by Friday's rain storm. Water is still pouring in and a further appreciable increase is expected during the next few days, as the water is still coming in from the hillsides.

Mr. A. B. Purves, M.Inst.C.E., Maintenance Engineer of the Waterworks, this morning informed the *Sunday Herald* that the increase would not result in increased hours of supply, but it has relieved the necessity of enforcing further restrictions.

Storage figures are as follows:—  
Kowloon, Friday morning, 217,000,000 gallons.  
Kowloon, Yesterday, 235,000,000 gallons.

Hong Kong, Friday morning, 487,000,000 gallons.  
Hong Kong, Friday, 532,000,000 gallons.

According to the Waterworks rain gauges, the rainfall on the Island, Friday, varied between 3.38 inches and 2.66, the maximum figure being recorded at Aberdeen and the minimum figure at Tytan Tuk.

The maximum measurement on the mainland was taken at Shing Mun, where 3.10 inches fell. The minimum figure was recorded at Shek Li Pui, with 2.03 inches.

### IMMORAL HOUSE BARRICADED.

Proprietor Fined \$150 In Police Court

A Chinese woman was charged before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday with using 52, Hennessy Road, first floor, for immoral purpose.

Detective Sergeant Baker said that it was one of those places barricaded by locked doors and grilles. When he raided the floor at 4 o'clock in the morning he found four sailors closeted in a room.

The officer pointed out the great danger the sailors would have been in if fire had broken out on the premises. They would have been caught like rats in a trap.

A further visit was paid two hours later when three girls were found in the floor.

In view of the fact that the place was closed in with grilles, his Worship said he was fining the defendant \$150 or three months' hard labour.

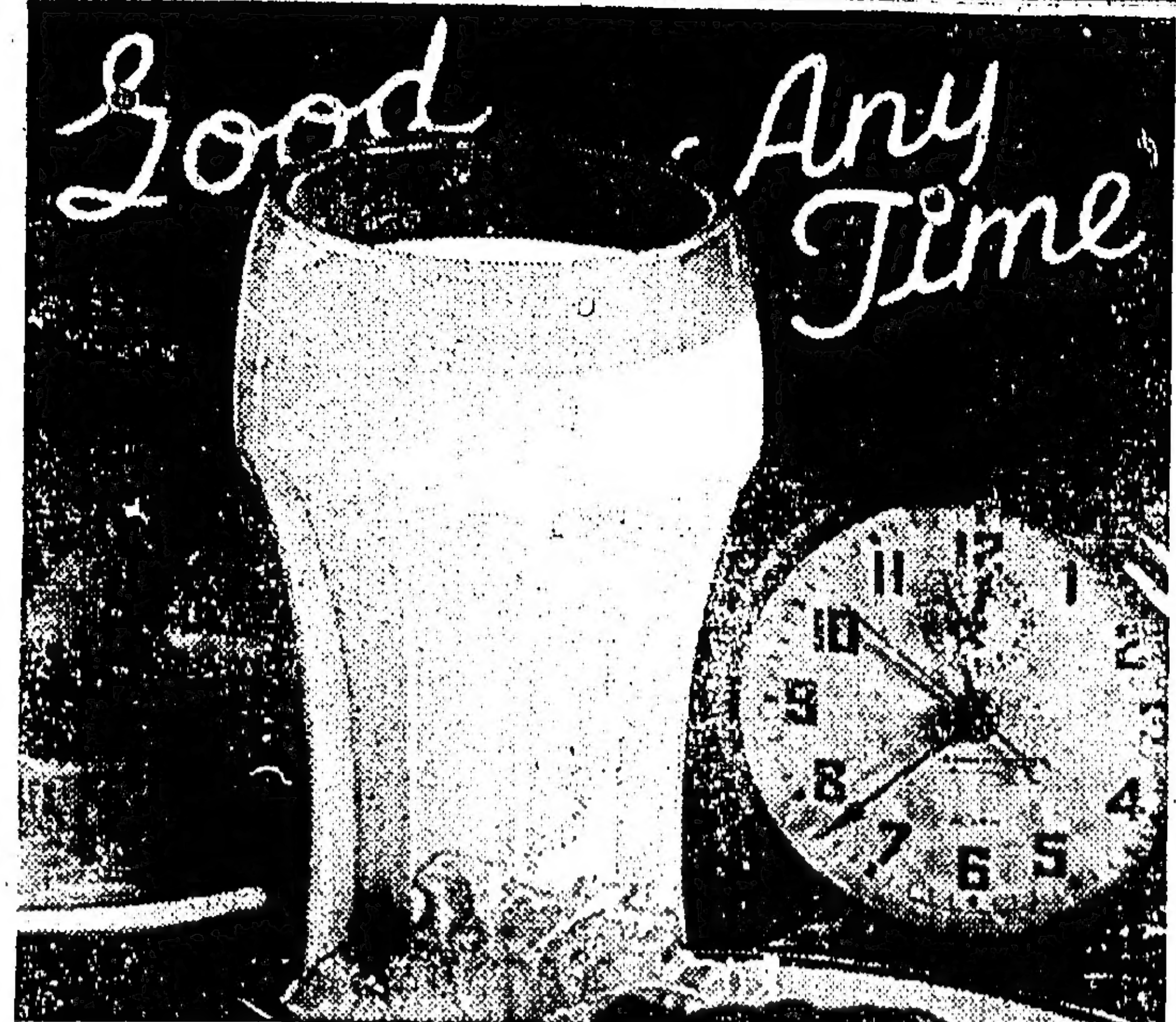
### HONG KONG HERIOT CLUB.

June Day Dinner.

Local Heriotonians, who founded the Hong Kong Heriot Club five years ago, gathered together Friday night at the Gloucester to celebrate their annual June Day dinner, in commemoration of George Heriot, who founded the well known Edinburgh educational institution in 1629.

Friday's function, which was well attended, was carried out in the usual traditional manner befitting to the occasion and was heartily enjoyed by those present.

The toast of the evening "The Pious Memory of George Heriot" was proposed by Mr. J. R. Kinghorn, president of the Club.



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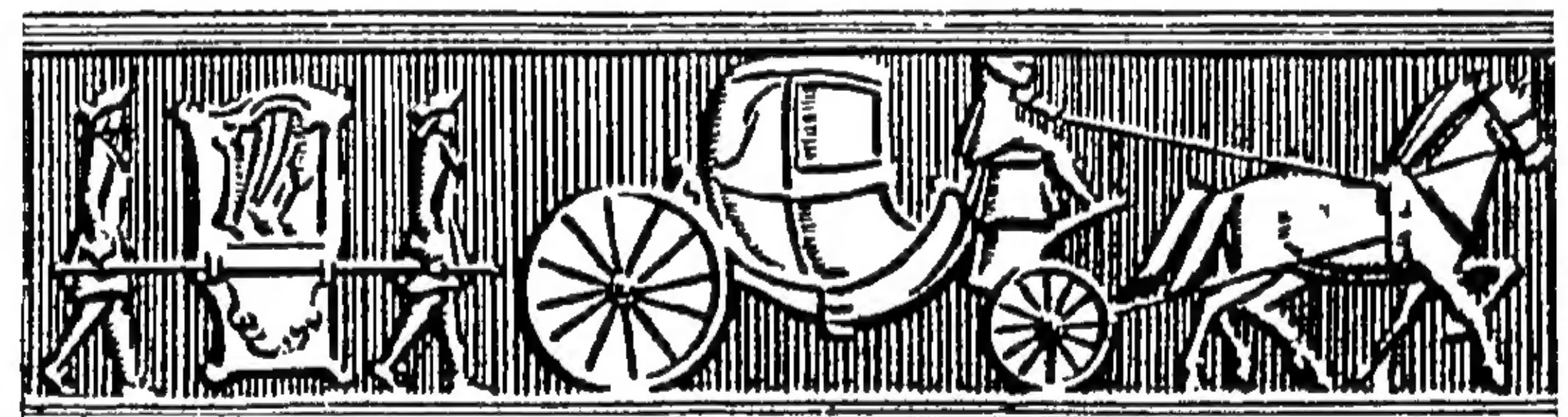
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## Latest Trend In Lingerie

Ribbons And Lace Return.

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The same type of slips are used for daywear in shorter lengths under lining frocks and those of lighter fabrics. These are in the same tone as a dress and worn over cami-knickers and cami-skirts of China, light satin, or printed chiffons.

The former models look very dainty as summer lingerie in printed chiffon, with the floral pattern cut out to form a border line round décolleté and armholes. Lace is used for the more or less tailored type of cami-skirt and knickers of China and satin.

Blas lines are preferred for skirts of nightgowns in identical printed chiffons, with trimmings showing short Empire bodice tops with flat crossover sash effects. Finely fitted frills bordered with very narrow Valenciennes lace also look attractive on these crossover bodices and round the high waist-line to disguise the joining.

Blas Skirt Lines. One of the latest lingerie notes is completing these printed chiffon garments by the addition of a dressing gown showing the same trimming. Light crepe de Chine linings give them the right sort of summer weight and substance.

Blas skirt lines are sleek in printed chiffons, but other models are gathered and joined to baby bodices by a wide slotted thread-through with ribbon. These nighties are charming and youth-



## Crystal Bracelets With Spring Costumes

Worn With Sleeveless Caped Coat.

**B**IG crystal bracelets in different colours are something new to wear with that spring costume. Three or four of the broad bands are worn on each arm with dark frock and a sleeveless caped coat. Grey, red, green and black bracelets are worn with such an ensemble of midnight blue.

## Patou's Recipe For The Evening

Smart Model Of Black And Green.

**A** SKIRT, a sleeveless peplum blouse and hip-length jacket are Patou's recipe for the evening. One of his smartest models combines a black satin skirt with a capesleeved blouse of chartreuse green satin belted with a narrow black band.

With it goes a hip length coat of chartreuse green pebbled crepe, the three-quarter length sleeves of which are cuffed in black fox. Schinparelli designs her tailored evening ensemble to combine a sleeveless frock and a short jacket. Mainbocher shows a suit of black wool crepe with a sleeveless

## PATOU'S FANCY NOTE IN DRESSES

Sleeves Cut About The Elbows.

**P**ATOU'S hat have pleated, rounded crowns with cloche brims turned up behind. The toques are set a little to one side, but on the whole hats are put on straighter than they were.

Formal but simple is a black skirt with a long white silk pique tunic, slit up the back and open down the front, caught to the waist by a twist of white and silver cords, and worn with a three-quarter black coat trimmed with silver fox and a draped black satin toque trimmed with a wing of white feathers.

The one fanciful note in the Patou dresses is in the sleeves, which are cut about the elbow, draped from there to the shoulders, puffed, slit, and trimmed with bright colours.

There are no capes. Small bright buttons set in close rows are the trimmings. There are few scarf draperies, a few stiff white collars and cuffs, and a good many soft draperies cut to one over about the pointed neckline.

pink satin blouse and a three-quarter length sleeveless black coat having armholes encircled in bands of mink.

Agnes' new skyscraper toque of black satin or gold lame, a port little black sequins beret with a horsehair veil flaring the wearer's eyes or a flower covered toque reflecting the colour of the blouse are among the favourite hats with these costumes.

Coates have collars, or threaded ribbon scarves, or fur.

**T**HERE is a great deal of bright green in this small collection, also brown with trimming, two shades of yellow, orange, and buttercup-yellow together. Three-quarter coats of smooth fur are put over skirts and blouses and little dresses.

For the afternoon there are pearl-grey, lavender-blue and pale and dark blue, sometimes with open-worked seams as the trimming, while coats fall nearly to the hem of the skirt. Three shades of beige are to be found in a figured skirt, a light blouse, and a darker coat.

Again a figured skirt may go with a plain coat and liner's blouse.

Evening dresses are long and slim; one of deep ivory cream satin is worn with a pansy purple velvet wrap which reaches just below the waistline. Long velvet wraps with high foxfur collars are put over light dresses.

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Quite the smartest of the new berets rely for distinction on their patterning of perforations. Taking the centre of the crown for a meeting-place, curved lines of perforations float symmetrically towards the circumference.

The perforations are not necessarily circular. Some are in oval forms, others diamond-wise. If one has a straight eye and a steady hand, it is an easy matter to decorate the cloth or felt for a hat of this description with a stout paper punch bought at a stationer's.

The cheap cloth felts accommodate themselves better than the expensive fur felts to this mode of treatment, and a chic result can be secured by supplying an elaborate perforated design to a white cloth felt, if the wearer be fair, or to one of peachpink or beige for the brunette.

Perforations mark the season's decoration is of a practical nature. In the case of tennis shoes the perforations are invariably cut, giving welcome ventilation, fied to the vamps.

The newest fishnet stockings are in an openwork design that conveys the effect of a series of perforations. Fishnet gloves, for wear with the short-sleeved frocks of the moment, produce on the arms the same illusion of consisting of an array of cleverly arranged perforations.

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## BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR LAST RACE MEETING TO-MORROW

### Traps For Unwary Punters In Card Of 10 Events

#### THRILLING FROST-HEARD DUEL

(By Scull Cap.)

THE last race meeting of the first half of the season, which is to be held at the Valley to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 2 p.m., promises to be as interesting as any of its predecessors. The racing should be very open and the honours well divided among the jockeys.

Dividends should prove fairly substantial as the unwary punter will overlook the fact that the majority of ponies which have been ridden recently at light weights in handicap events will be out to-morrow at weight for inches in the condition races. Mr. H. P. Rees's Krata Viz is a notable example. He will be riding at 158 lb. instead of 143.

Mr. Jimmy Pote-Hunt, the Shanghai jockey who rode at the last meeting, will not be riding to-morrow as he is at present away on a yachting cruise. He is shortly to be married to Miss Priscilla Arbogast of Avenue Haig, Shanghai.

The Hohea Handicap for "A" Class ponies will probably witness only two starters as I understand that Sadko is being reserved for the Whitson Plate, the big event of the meeting, and King's Bounty and Sitting Bull are also probably starting in the second "A" Class event.

On Thursday King's Justice was well on his toes in a slow gallop over 1 1/4 miles with Mr. "Benny" Proulx in the saddle. He covered the distance in 3.08.3 with a 0.31.4 last quarter. He certainly looked good and I am very doubtful whether the Dunbar pony will be able to hold him, even with the champion jockey in the saddle.

One important factor that must be considered is the fact that King's Justice is up 15lb on the weight at which he won the May Handicap from Sitting Bull last meeting. It was either 15lb up on this race or 18lb up on the Whitson Plate.

Helter Skelter's New Rider. Helter Skelter will be going out in the Second Hay and Corn Stakes over five furlongs with a new rider up—Mr. J. C. A. Ingram. Racing at the light weight of 152 over his own distance, Helter Skelter should record a win for the Hellenic stable.

White Butterfly, which pulled up suddenly when leading in the straight at the last meeting, is by no means lame, and has a very good chance in this short race. I understand that Mr. Proulx will be again riding him.

He has never achieved anything over the longer distances and I think he will be worth watching over his own distance.

Gold Bar will probably be taken out by Mr. de Roza. He is a distinct danger at 152lb. Helvellyn, if taken out in this race, will be worth considering with Mr. Frost up.

Paul Jones, Baguio, Melody, Disorderly Conduct and Bold General, all second batch subs., are non-starters.

Big Upset Expected. Burgomaster with Mr. Butler up looks good for the Juling Handicap over five furlongs. The only danger will be Amoy, a big field, and a poor start.

There are however one or two very likely ponies entered—Charming Face, The Crook, Banjolina, The Gadwall and Valley Hall to name only a few.

It is just about time The Gadwall did something, and with Mr. Frost up he will have every opportunity. I do not know whether Flying Boy is starting after his disappointing performance at the last meeting when he was unplaced, but if he goes out he is sure to command a great deal of attention.

The more I look at the list of 22 entries for this event the more I think of the probability of a big upset. Snappy Eve is the best outsider, and should pay well in an evenly backed field.

#### Sadko Favoured To Win.

The Whitson Plate will probably see Sadko, who is being taken out by Mr. Harriman instead of Mr. Butler, and Sitting Bull, ridden by Mr. Frost, in a thrilling struggle for supremacy.

Mrs. Dunbar's pony showed excellent form at the last meeting when the one-time favourite was beaten by 3 1/2 lengths by King's Justice over 1 1/4 miles. Sitting Bull, carrying 9lb more than the winner, beat Sadko by a length. The latter was carrying 3 lb. more.

To-morrow Sitting Bull will receive 7 lb from Sadko, but I rather fancy Mr. Harriman's chances after seeing both ponies at gallops on Thursday. Gleneagles (Mr. Butler) must not, however, be forgotten.

Though the Dunbar pony has not been in the best of condition during the last couple of months he now looks considerably better. He is best suited to 1 1/4 Miles.

I doubt very much whether Solar Star or King's Bounty will cause any trouble, and The Tiger and Bright Star are likely to be non-starters.

#### Melody Without Jockey.

Vigilance, which was most unlucky in the Second Subscription Griffin's Champions, should receive poor compensation by winning the second Tytam Handicap "A" Class over a mile. With Mr. da Roza up it looks a "cinch."

Mr. Ip Kui Ying is taking out Now's The Time, which should be well supported while Mr. Heard will be qualified at the last meeting. These be out on No Fear, which was disto ponies look the two next best mounts for the distance.

The Panther (Mr. Frost) will cause a surprise if he is placed, but Mr. Harriman may well cause an upset on Gay Butterfly.

Mr. da Roza generally rides Melody, but as the two ponies have clashed he has taken Mr. Li Shiu Pang's entrant.

#### Two Big Dangers Out.

With City of Brisbane not yet fully recovered from the twisted plate he sustained last time out, and Ngak still lame, two of the biggest dangers have been removed from the Wallsend Handicap over six furlongs. Both are very improbable starters.

What's That, who ran well at the last meeting with Mr. Pote-Hunt in the saddle, will have Mr. "Johnny" Heard up to-morrow. He looks the winner, though he will be seriously challenged by Wotin (Mr. Butler) and Ration (Mr. Proulx).

Mr. Harriman is taking out Kilrea at 136 lb., and Mr. Pan is riding Tecumseh at 140, but I consider the best outsider to be Canny at 140. I do not know who is riding him, but he has a very fair chance. He may be taken out by Mr. Frost, with City of Brisbane out of the way.

Disorderly Conduct May Win. The second Tytam Handicap "B" Class event should provide Mr. Butler with a win on Disorderly Conduct provided the pony behaves himself at the start.

Bold General may take some catching if he gets away to a flying start, and with a mafou holding the Harhar stable entrant at the start anything is likely to happen.

Of the remaining five entrants anything might fill third place, but I rather favour Funny Face's chances.

Frost-Heard Duel. With The Tiger (Mr. Frost) and Valorous (Mr. Heard) riding at level weights the Yangtze Stakes over one mile should provide one of the most stirring struggles of the afternoon.

The last time the two met was in a five furlongs event and The Tiger astounded all the critics by a clean cut triumph. I do not think the extra three furlongs will jeopardise his chances to-morrow.

Jungle Jim is carrying a lot of weight, but I think he will prove just too good for Marquis Hall (Mr. Stanton) for third place. Don at 155 is the best outsider.

Battling Horse Almost Certain. If there is one "cinch" for the afternoon I should say it was Battling Horse in the West River Plate over five furlongs. He is carrying only 149 lb.

I do not know whether Mr. Heard is riding Imperial Hall or Christmas Belle—both ponies are at 152. I should think it would be the latter, which is again racing fit. Imperial Hall is good enough for second place.

I have liked the track work of Auction Bridge, and will be surprised if the pony does not record a place. Other ponies to watch are Krata Viz—a distinct danger, Ta Peasit, and Helvellyn and Gold Bar, if started here.

Widnes Should Win. Mr. Harriman is taking out Street Singer instead of Mr. Butler in the Hwang Lo Stakes over a distance of a mile and should record a place as the pony is in excellent condition and not up against a very classy field.

Tilleum (Mr. Frost) and Tenorio (Mr. Proulx) are likely contenders, while Wakefield (Mr. da Roza) will require watching. Wakefield is the best outside bet. Mr. A. G. Botelho will be riding Mike.

#### The Selections.

RACE 1—KING'S JUSTICE

RACE 2—CYCLAMEN BAY

RACE 3—HELTER SKELTER

RACE 4—HELVELLYN

RACE 5—GOLD BAR

RACE 6—AMOI

RACE 7—BURGOMASTER

RACE 8—WARRING FACE

RACE 9—SADKO

RACE 10—SITTING BULL

RACE 11—GLENEAGLES

RACE 12—VIGILANCE

RACE 13—NOW'S THE TIME

RACE 14—NO FEAR

RACE 15—WHAT'S THAT

RACE 16—WOTIN

RACE 17—RATION

RACE 18—DISORDERLY CONDUCT

RACE 19—BOLD GENERAL

RACE 20—FUNNY FACE

RACE 21—THE TIGER

RACE 22—VALOROUS

RACE 23—JUNGLE JIM

RACE 24—BATTILING HORSE

RACE 25—IMPERIAL HALL

RACE 26—AUCTION BRIDGE

RACE 27—WIDNES

RACE 28—STREET SINGER

RACE 29—TILLEUM

Follow Rapier's Selections

In The China Mail to-morrow.

Widnes, with Mr. Pan in the saddle, looks the winner, even after his disappointing run over five furlongs in the Stonecutters Handicap at the last meeting.

Tilleum (Mr. Frost) and Tenorio (Mr. Proulx) are likely contenders, while Wakefield (Mr. da Roza) will require watching. Wakefield is the best outside bet. Mr. A. G. Botelho will be riding Mike.

## WEIGHT AND DYKES REACH SEMI-FINAL

Law And Stewart Concede w.o.

VALLEY FOURSOMES.

W. A. Weight and J. S. Dykes have entered the Semi-Final Round of the Happy Valley Golf Club's Summer Foursomes competition.

R. C. Law and W. A. Stewart were forced to concede a walk-over in their Third Round match owing to the fact that Law is leaving for Bangkok shortly.

The following were the complete Third Round results:—R. S. W. Paterson (17) and W. Woodward (17) beat E. P. White (15) and H. T. Brooks (17), 2 Stewart (10).

W. A. Weight (15) and J. S. Shepherd (18) received a w.o. from R. C. Law (8) and W. A. Stewart (10).

W. A. Weight's (15) and J. S. Dykes (13) beat J. P. A. Davies (17) and E. Thompson (18) by 5 and 4.

H. H. Mundy (10) and C. W. F. Booker (6) beat A. Macfarlane (17) and E. D. Matthews (7) by 3 and 2.

Semi-Final Round:—

W. A. Weight (15) and J. S. Dykes (13) beat H. H. Mundy (10) and C. W. F. Booker (6) by 4 and 3.

## AQUATIC GALA POSTPONED

The Chinese Civil Servants Bathing Club gala which should have been held on Friday night was postponed until Tuesday night, commencing at 7.30 p.m.

## GLENDENNING'S RINK WELL UP

### CRAIGENGOWER & K.B.G.C. RECORD DOUBLE WINS

#### TAIKOO'S FIRST TRIUMPH

THE Police Recreation Club again astounded the Lawn Bowls critics when their junior team yesterday beat the Yacht Club, last year's runners-up, by 18 shots to record their second win of the season. They won on two of the three rinks and tied on the other.

Craigengower, dual champions, and the Kowloon Bowling Green recorded double wins, while the Kowloon Cricket Club sustained defeats in both divisions. Taikoo beat the Civil Service, to record their first win.

R. F. Luz had the distinction of recording the highest rink win of the afternoon when his quartette beat W. Mair's rink by 24 shots, the Police players scoring on only six ends. L. A. Gutierrez, Colony champion, L. C. R. Souza and C. G. Silva were in Luz's rink.

Four sides were recorded during the afternoon. W. E. Hollands's four secured a six against C. E. Marques's rink, but they lost by 9 shots. R. Wallace's rink achieved the feat against A. W. Grimmett's quartette, and two junior division skips in W. Gill and A. M. Wahab also performed the feat. Wahab, however, lost by 8 shots.

#### Yesterday's Results at a Glance.

FIRST DIVISION.			
TAIKOO D.R.C. (72)	67	CIVIL SERVICE C.C. (39)	49
CRAIGENGOWER (74)	49	K'LOON DOCKS R.C. (44)	46
KOWLOON B.G. (54)	76	KOWLOON C.C. (55)	45
CLUB DE RECREIO (59)	77	POLICE R.C. (57)	50
SECOND DIVISION.			
H.K. ELECTRIC R.C. (51)	52	KOWLOON B.G.C. (63)	67
CIVIL SERVICE C.C. (—)	82	INDIAN R.C. (—)	46
POLICE R.C. (—)	63	YACHT CLUB (—)	45
KOWLOON C.C. (57)	38	CRAIGENGOWER (52)	67

Figures in brackets denote result of corresponding game last year. (Details on Page 5.)

#### League Tables To Date.

FIRST DIVISION									
	P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Shots	Shots	Up	Pts.
Kowloon B. G. (8)	4	3	1	271	214	57	0	6	
Recreio (2)	4	3	1	248	207	41	0	6	
Craigengower (1)	4	3	1	215	210	5	0	6	
Civil Service (3)	4	2	2	244	241	3	0	4	
Police (7)	4	2	2	227	248	0	21	4	
Kowloon Docks (5)	4	1	3	222	229	0	7	2	
Taikoo Docks (6)	4	1	3	213	239	8	26	2	
Kowloon C. C. (4)	4	1	3	200	252	0	52	2	
SECOND DIVISION									
Kowloon B. G. (5)	5	4	1	365	271	94	0	8	
Craigengower (1)	4	3	1	259	182	77	0	6	
Civil Service (3)	4	3	1	256	219	37	0	6	
Kowloon C. C. (7)	5	3	2	266	274	0	8	6	
Recreio (4)	4	2	2	246	222	24	0	4	
Yacht Club (2)	4	2	2	230	240	0	10	4	
Police R. C. (—)	4	2	2	227	248	0	21	4	
H. K. Electric (8)	5	1	4	257	323	0	66	2	
Indian R. C. (—)	5	0	5	229	356	0	127	0	

Figures in brackets denote positions held by the respective clubs at the conclusion of last season. The Police and Indian R. C. are newcomers to the junior division in the absence of the Taikoo second string.

## PORTUGUESE COMPANY WIN AGAIN

Baptista Chalks Up 38 Break.

"B" COY., LINCOLNS LOSE AT SOLDIERS' CLUB

THE Portuguese Company of the Hongkong Volunteers, favoured to win the title, beat "B" Company, Lincolns, by 364 points in the Second Round of the Soldiers' Club Billiards Tournament on Friday night. The best breaks of the evening were recorded by Cpl. M. A. Baptista (38), Pte. Abbott (29), Cpl. J. D. Remedios (25), Pte. A. V. Gosano (24), and Pte. Burnand (24).

The Volunteers will meet "B" Company, South Wales Borderers, in the semi-final on June 18.

Detailed scores:

Portuguese Coy. "B" Lincolns	
Silva	200 Abbott
Baptista	200 Green
Perelra	179 Malpas
A. V. Gosano	200 Lork
Remedios	200 Burnand
Gill	200 Baldry

J. D. Remedios	200 Bell
Silva	200 McGuiness
Sequeira	200
Total	1,579.

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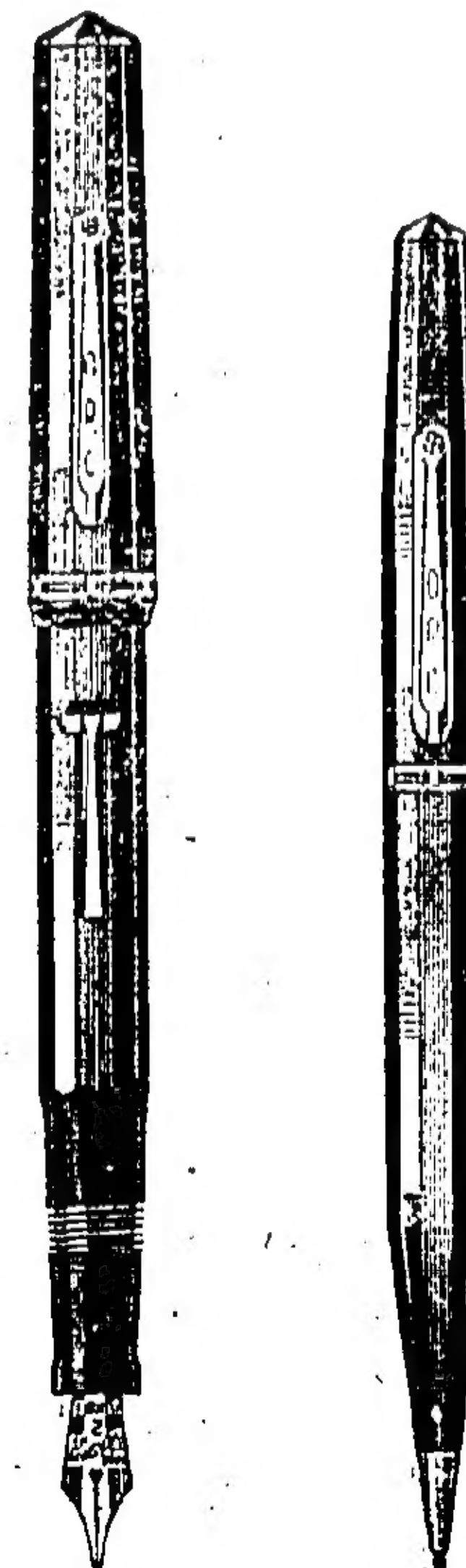
To Play Club On Tuesday.

The Kowloon Cricket Club will be represented by the following in their "B" Division Lawn Tennis League match against the Hong Kong Cricket Club on their own courts on Tuesday:—J. Rodger and S. A. Gray. R. B. Hamby and D. S. Green. C. I. Stapleton and G. C. Burnett.

## TO-DAY'S SPORT

GOLF—Completion of third round Happy Valley Summer competition. RIFLE SHOOTING—Hong Kong Rifle Club's "All Comers" Competition (Kowloon Tong Range, 10 a.m.).

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## POLICE SURPRISE YACHT CLUB

(Continued from page 4.)

### First Division.

C.C.C. v K.D.R.C.

At Happy Valley the Craignower Cricket Club defeated the Kowloon Docks Recreation Club by 3 shots.	
Scores:—	
Craignower	Kowloon Docks
J. Cavanagh	J. V. Ramsay
L. E. Lammert	R. Morrison
D. Ramjahn	W. Greig
B. W. Bradbury	F. Cullen
(Skip) ... 18	(Skip) ... 15
G. L. Buchanan	A. Calman
C. S. Summons	J. Kempton
H. Beer	W. Cooper
R. Bosa	J. C. Brown
(Skip) ... 18	(Skip) ... 16
W. T. Brightman	C. Atkinson
J. S. Landolt	M. Ferguson
A. E. Coates	W. Headley
U. M. Omar	B. Lapsley
(Skip) ... 13	(Skip) ... 15
49	46

### RECREIO V. POLICE

At King's Park the Club de Recreio beat the Police Recreation Club by 27 shots.	
Scores:—	
Recreio	Police
H. A. Alves	R. Ellis
R. Roberts	G. Perkins
A. S. Gomes	E. G. Post
C. E. Marques	W. Hollands
(Skip) ... 28	(Skip) ... 19
L. A. Gutierrez	J. Fender
L. C. R. Souza	T. Tallon
C. G. Silva	J. Shepherd
R. F. Luz	W. Mair
(Skip) ... 33	(Skip) ... 9
F. A. Xavier	F. Nolan
J. M. Alves	F. E. Booker
F. V. Ribeiro	A. R. Clarke
P. X. M. Silva	G. Moss
(Skip) ... 16	(Skip) ... 22
77	50

K.B.G.C. v K.C.C.

At the K.B.G.C. the Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat the Kowloon Cricket Club by 31 shots.	
Scores:—	
Kowloon B.G.C.	Kowloon C.C.
R. Duncan	E. C. Fincher
C. E. Elliot	J. Chadwick
W. Macfarlane	J. Howe
A. Holland	A. Hyde-Lay
(Skip) ... 20	(Skip) ... 15
J. S. Logan	H. Gittins
A. R. Whitley	A. J. Linze
J. Gibson	H. Hampton
H. Nish	A. E. Silkestone
(Skip) ... 25	(Skip) ... 21
A. Macintyre	F. E. Skinner
G. Sherriff	W. Hyde
C. Roylance	T. Fergusson
L. Guy	H. Overy
(Skip) ... 31	(Skip) ... 9
76	45

T.D.R.C. v C.S.C.C.

At Talkoo the Talkoo Dock Recreation Club defeated the Civil Service Cricket Club by 18 shots.

Talkoo	Civil Service
A. Stalker	H. Lockhart
J. Whyte	A. O. Brawn
R. Keown	N. Bebbington
W. Wotherpoon	R. P. Phillips
(Skip) ... 17	(Skip) ... 20
D. Peoples	S. Randle
W. Cunningham	S. Alderman
W. Weir	R. R. Wood
J. Chalmers	F. J. Jones
(Skip) ... 26	(Skip) ... 15
W. Brown	E. W. Simmonds
G. Stewart	H. E. Strange
J. Watson	J. Hollidge
R. Wallace	A. W. Grimmett
(Skip) ... 24	(Skip) ... 14
67	49

### Second Division.

P.R.C. v R.H.K.Y.C.

At Happy Valley the Police Recreation Club beat the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club by 18 shots.

Police	Yacht Club
W. McLeod	L. S. Greenhill
R. George	A. W. Brown
J. R. McWalter	J. W. C. Bonnar
H. H. E. Marks	A. Macfarlane
(Skip) ... 17	(Skip) ... 17
W. Downman	W. J. Hansen
W. R. Chester	Woods
H. Merriman	J. A. R. Selby
A. E. Carey	A. Murdoch
(Skip) ... 22	(Skip) ... 16
W. Smith	N. V. A. Croucher
G. Channing	J. L. Spence
J. Riddell	J. Abraham
W. Glendenning	J. Bentley
(Skip) ... 24	(Skip) ... 12
63	45

### HOLIDAY GOLF STARTING TIMES.

To-day And To-morrow At Fanling.

The following are the starting times for Fanling over the holidays:—

TO-DAY	
Old Course.	New Course.
9.32 a.m. A. T. Lay, J. W. Platt.	9.32 a.m. J. Stenersen, R. A. Rodgers.
9.36 " C. Thwaites, E. Lewis.	9.36 " H. N. Williamson, G. H.
9.40 " D. Harvey, J. W. Martin.	
9.44 " L. A. R. Duncan, E. P. Fletcher.	
9.48 " N. K. Littlejohn, S. T. Butler.	
9.52 " H. N. Williamson, G. T. May.	
9.56 " J. W. Mayhew, R. A. Rodgers.	
10.00 " L. H. Gears, F. A. Redmond.	
TO-MORROW.	
Old Course.	New Course.
9.32 a.m. J. Stenersen, R. A. Rodgers.	9.32 a.m. J. Stenersen, R. A. Rodgers.
9.36 " H. N. Williamson, G. H.	9.36 " H. N. Williamson, G. H.

### Second Division.

K.C.C. v C.C.C.

At the K.C.C. the Craignower Cricket Club beat the Kowloon Cricket Club by 29 shots.

Kowloon	Craignower
F. Maddox	G. Duncan
C. J. Roe	F. K. Modi
V. C. Labrum	E. Tuck
L. Jack	W. Gill
(Skip) ... 17	(Skip) ... 18
J. M. Brown	J. Johnston
S. J. Houghton	H. Milton
E. Kern	W. Ward
J. M. Jack	W. Field
(Skip) ... 10	(Skip) ... 24
P. Kristofersen	D. K. Khanna
A. Spary	M. J. Medina
W. W. Hirst	Y. Abbas
J. P. Robinson	A. A. Razack
(Skip) ... 11	(Skip) ... 25
38	67

C.S.C.C. v I.R.C.

At Happy Valley the Civil Service Cricket Club defeated the Indian Recreation Club by 36 shots.

Civil Service	Indian R.C.
T. Hunter	Bhishen Singh
L. R. Whant	S. Ismail
H. Westlake	H. Hartman
S. Eccleshall	B. A. Hyder
(Skip) ... 30	(Skip) ... 14
P. E. Knight	S. O. Bux
S. Cressey	A. M. Omar
J. F. Macgowan	A. M. Rumjahn
R. R. Davies	K. M. Omar
(Skip) ... 27	(Skip) ... 15
L. Collyer	M. I. Razack
T. Fitzgerald	M. Y. Adal
T. Armstrong	A. R. Dallah
T. Holdman	A. M. Wahab
(Skip) ... 25	(Skip) ... 17
82	46

H.K.E.R.C. v K.B.G.C.

At Ming Yuen, the Kowloon Bowling Green Club defeated the Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club by 15 shots.

Electric	Bowling Green
A. Tarbuck	G. Chambers
C. E. Gahagan	S. E. Adams
A. Webster	T. Budding
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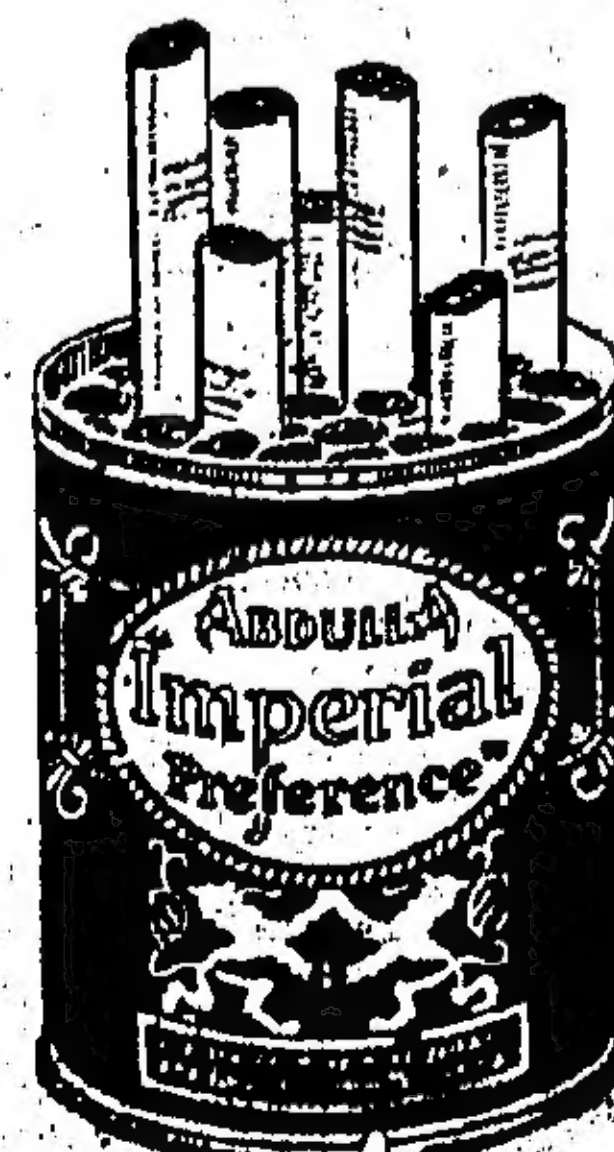
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## LOCAL JOCKEY'S WEDDING.

Mr. A. G. Botelho And Miss B. P. Choa.

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A wedding of considerable interest to the Portuguese Community took place at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Caine Road, yesterday afternoon, when Miss Beatrice Patricia Choa, became the wife of Mr. Arnaldo Guilherme Botelho, brother of Mr. A. A. R. Botelho, the well known Hong Kong Amateur rider.

The Right Rev. Bishop Valtorta officiated.

The bride who was dressed in a creation of white georgette and lace, designed by Mme. D'Oby of Maison des Modes, wore a crown of orange blossoms to match. She carried a bouquet of gladioli.

The Bridesmaids, the Misses Pauline and Louise Choa, Miss Maria Botelho and Miss Irene Gittins, wore dresses of yellow and green organdy, while the flower girls, the Misses Patricia and Cynthia Lo, daughters of Mr. M. H. Lo were dressed in pink organdy and Betty Choa wore yellow.

Mr. T. E. D'Almada Remedios assumed the duties of best man for the bridegroom, while Mr. Robert Choa acted for the bride.

Later a reception was held at the Club Lusitano at which were present a very large crowd of friends.

The happy couple left for the Repulse Bay Hotel where the honeymoon is being spent.

## P. I. INDEPENDENCE MISSION.

Members Arrive in Colony.

### WELCOME BY LOCAL FILIPINOS.

The Philippine Independence Mission, who, for the past several months have been in the United States working hard for the approval of the Hawes-Cutting Law in the United States Congress, granting independence to the Philippine Islands for 10 years, arrived in Hong Kong yesterday morning by the Lloyd Tristino liner Conte Rosso.

Local Filipinos met the visitors and gave them a rousing reception at the Kowloon Wharf, where the vessel berthed.

Those comprising the Mission are:

Hon. Manuel L. Quezon, President of the Philippine Senate and Chairman of the Nacionalista (Government) Party.

Hon. Sergio Osmeña, President Pro Tempore, Philippine Senate, and Vice-Chairman of the Nacionalistas.

Hon. Manuel Roxas, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Hon. Ruperto Montinola, Minority Floor Leader, Philippine Senate.

Hon. Emiliano T. Tirona, Minority Floor Leader, House of Representatives.

With them are their respective families, as well as their technical advisers and private secretaries, numbering about sixty in all.

9-Day Stay.

They expect to stay in the Colony about a week, during which time the local Filipino Club and the Filipino Community will be their hosts at a banquet to be given at the Peninsula Hotel in their honour.

They are due to sail for Manila on the "Empress of Japan" leaving on June 9.

## RUSSIA'S GIFT TO TURKEY.

### Textile Machinery.

Istanbul. Three Turkish experts have left here for Russia for the purpose of selecting the machinery for the three new textile and cotton factories, which are to be established in Anatolia.

The machinery is being given to Turkey by Soviet Russia, under the terms of the industrial credit, which was arranged when Ismet Pasha, the Turkish Premier, visited Moscow in 1922.—Reuter.

### WEATHER FORECAST

A bleak day is predicted today by the report issued from the Royal Observatory yesterday evening. The report states that the weather will be equally cloudy showery, with fresh South-west winds.



## LONDON

### TOPICS

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### A Legal Bird.

On a recent night a distinguished Scottish lawyer was in London. He dined in his club, and after dinner was introduced to a be-motocled young Sassenach.

"What, may I ask, is your profession, sir?" said the Sassenach, rather patronisingly.

The lawyer drew himself up proudly. "I am a writer to his Majesty's Signet."

"Ah!" said the Englishman, visibly impressed. "And does the bird ever reply?"

The answer is that, since the transfer of so many head offices of Scottish businesses to London, he does not.

### A Fortunate Investment.

There must be many people who are grateful to the late Sir Henry Royce. One is Millicent, Duchess of Sutherland, the mother of the present Duke.

Nearly 30 years ago she knew young Mr. Rolls fairly well. Early in 1906, when he was going into partnership with Royce, he came to her in a state of great excitement.

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Yielding more to Mr. Rolls's eloquence than to any belief in the future of the Rolls-Royce car, she invested a few hundred pounds and passed on the tip to her friends.

The investors were repaid twentyfold.

### The New Official Referee.

Mr. C. M. Pitman, K.C., whose appointment as Official Referee of the Supreme Court has been announced, is a brother Lord Pitman, who is a judge of the Scottish Court of Session.

The Pitman family has a distinguished legal record in Scotland, and the promotion of a member to a prominent English law appointment recalls the old rhyme which gives point to the exclusiveness of legal Edinburgh. (It should explain that Todd, Murray and Jamieson are a famous Edinburgh law firm.)

Todd, Murray and Jamieson. Jamieson, Murray and Todd. The Blackburns speak to the Pitmans, And the Pitmans speak to God.

### Rarest War Medal.

Members of the British Expeditionary Force to Northern Russia recently celebrated their annual Archangel dinner.

This particular war commemoration is distinguished by the fact that the rarest medal of the war is invariably produced at the dinner. There are only four such medals in existence. This is their story.

Just before the end of the war it was decided to issue a special medal for the various Allied forces which took part in the Archangel expedition.

All the details were worked out even down to the ribbons—red for the Army and blue for the Navy; and the medal was actually struck in France.

### Liberation That Failed.

It was a beautiful medal. On the front appeared the Angel of Victory, her shield decorated with a Union Jack. She was surrounded by British, American, French, Italian, Serbian and Russian soldiers, who were defending her.

On the back of the medal was the double-headed eagle of Tsarist Russia.

As soon as the medals were ready they were melted down. The melting down was logical.

For the inscription on the medal announced that it was "In memory of the liberation of the Northern Provinces from the Bolsheviks."

Before it could be issued the Allied forces had been evacuated, leaving Northern Russia very much in the hands of the Bolsheviks.

Before the holocaust, however, Mr. Duncan Fitzwilliams, the well-known surgeon, succeeded in obtaining four medals. One of them is always worn by the chairman at the annual dinner.

### A Versatile Pecc.

Lord Darnley, whose new musical play, "The Twins," was produced at Rochester recently, is the tallest member of the peerage, standing 6ft. 6in. in his stocking-soles. He is also its most brilliant amateur.

He paints and draws excellently. His favourite subjects are imaginary landscapes and birds. He is an expert gardener, and at Westlands Farm, Horley, designed and built one of the "show" landscape gardens of England.

His musical talents find expression in playing the piano and in a mighty but pleasant voice. He is, or was, also one of the best shots and fishermen in England, and a plus two golfer.

Lord Darnley no longer cares for shooting and golf, they come too easily to him, so, for a new experience, he acted in his own play.

### An Expensive Baby.

One of the daintiest babies the London Zoo has seen for a long time has just been born: at the gazelle shed.

It is a Marica gazelle, the first of these animals to be born at the Zoo.

Jean, as the newcomer has been named, is estimated to be worth about £75. Jean was running about when she was two hours old, playing hide and seek with her mother in the inner den.

Jean's mother is a shy little animal called Peggy, who came to the Zoo seven years ago. Her father is named Nelson.

Both came originally from Central Arabia and were purchased by the Zoological Society.

### Robert Radford.

Robert Radford, whose death was announced recently, was in his best days a superb singer and that rare thing, a real bass.

Handel Festivals brought him to the fore; his "Why do the nations?" was a revelation. Then, about thirty years ago, he went on to sing Wagner roles at Covent Garden under the great Hans Richter, who, not lavish in his praise of British singers, thought a great deal of him.

Radford's operatic work was the more valuable in that he was a good actor. As the grief-stricken father in "Louise" he reached tragic heights; he could also be very funny, and his performance in Mozart's "Il Seraglio" was worthy of a professional comedian.

A tall, good-natured, genial man, and a most popular "Savage," Bob Radford's last years were marred by constant illness, though the successful debut of his daughter as a singer went far towards cheering him.

### In Joan Procter's Memory.

There will be general applause for the Zoological Society at their happy thought in founding a medal in memory of the late Miss Joan Procter, who could handle snakes of all kinds and sizes with such wonderful skill.

Designed by Mr. A. G. Wyon, the medal takes the form of an oblong plaque, with the profile of Miss Procter in relief on one side.

Naturally enough, the medal will be awarded for "additions to the knowledge of herpetology," that branch of learning in which Miss Procter was something of a magician.

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HONG KONG, SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 1933.

### The King's Birthday Honours List.

IT is a matter for pride and satisfaction to the Colony that two Hong Kong civil servants have been included in the King's Birthday Honours List, and the community will join in extending sincere congratulations to Sir Thomas Southorn on being awarded the distinction of Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire. During the period of a little over seven years in which he has been Colonial Secretary, Sir Thomas has acquitted himself with conspicuous success, having revealed marked administrative ability and having participated with enthusiasm and ardour in all spheres of the Colony's activities. The wide popularity he has achieved is reflected in the regard and esteem in which he is held by all sections of the community. He has established, and maintained, a close and cordial contact with the Chinese community, and has lent keen support to practically every local organization. Sir Thomas has evinced an ardent interest in sport, and has been an active patron of football and swimming, particularly. He has gained some reputation as a bowler, and is one of the most regular visitors to the Yacht Club bowling green. Lady Southorn shares her husband's popularity and has performed indefatigable work in social and charitable circles, while her organizing ability has produced excellent results in the Girl Guide Movement. During his three short terms as Officer Administering the Government, Sir Thomas displayed the same qualities which have enabled him to perform with such distinction as Colonial Secretary. To Mr. C. E. Frith, on whom the Imperial Service Order has been conferred, congratulations are also due, and it is gratifying to note that his long, able service to the Government has been so fittingly rewarded. Mr. Frith held the post of Chief Sanitary Inspector from 1928 until his retirement last April, and during his stay in the Colony, he was an active member of the Volunteers.

The Birthday Honours List is rather shorter than usual, four new peers, two Baronets and 27 Knights having been created compared with last year's list of six peers, six Baronets and 28 Knights. The recipients include statesmen, politicians, commercial leaders and industrialists, while notable figures among the professions, the Services and the arts have also been honoured. There are no surprises and the omission of any recognition for spectacular achievements is marked. In this connection it is surprising that the leaders of the Mount Everest Flight Expedition have not received recognition but the occasion is perhaps premature. One of the most interesting features is the grant of the Order of the Knight of the Garter to the Earl of Lytton, chairman of the League of Nations Commission to Manchuria which produced the famous report which bears his name. Another well known personality, Lady Simon, wife of the Foreign Secretary, is made a new Dame Commander of the British Empire. The best known of the new peers is the Rt. Hon. George Richard Lane-Fox, a Privy Councillor and member of the Indian Statutory Commission. A leading publisher, a former War Minister and an industrialist are the others elevated to the Peerage. Only one member of the Royal family is included this year, the Duke of Gloucester, who received the Royal Victorian Chain twelve months ago, being appointed a Knight of the Thistle. The third son of His Majesty is not as much in the public eye as his Royal brothers, and the fact most easily recalled of him is that he has recently returned from a hunting trip in South Africa. But the Duke of Gloucester takes his share of the many duties that are the routine of the members of the Royal family, and while his work is for the main part unobtrusive it is none the less efficient. Altogether the list reflects the usual wise and careful selection and will command universal commendation and approval.



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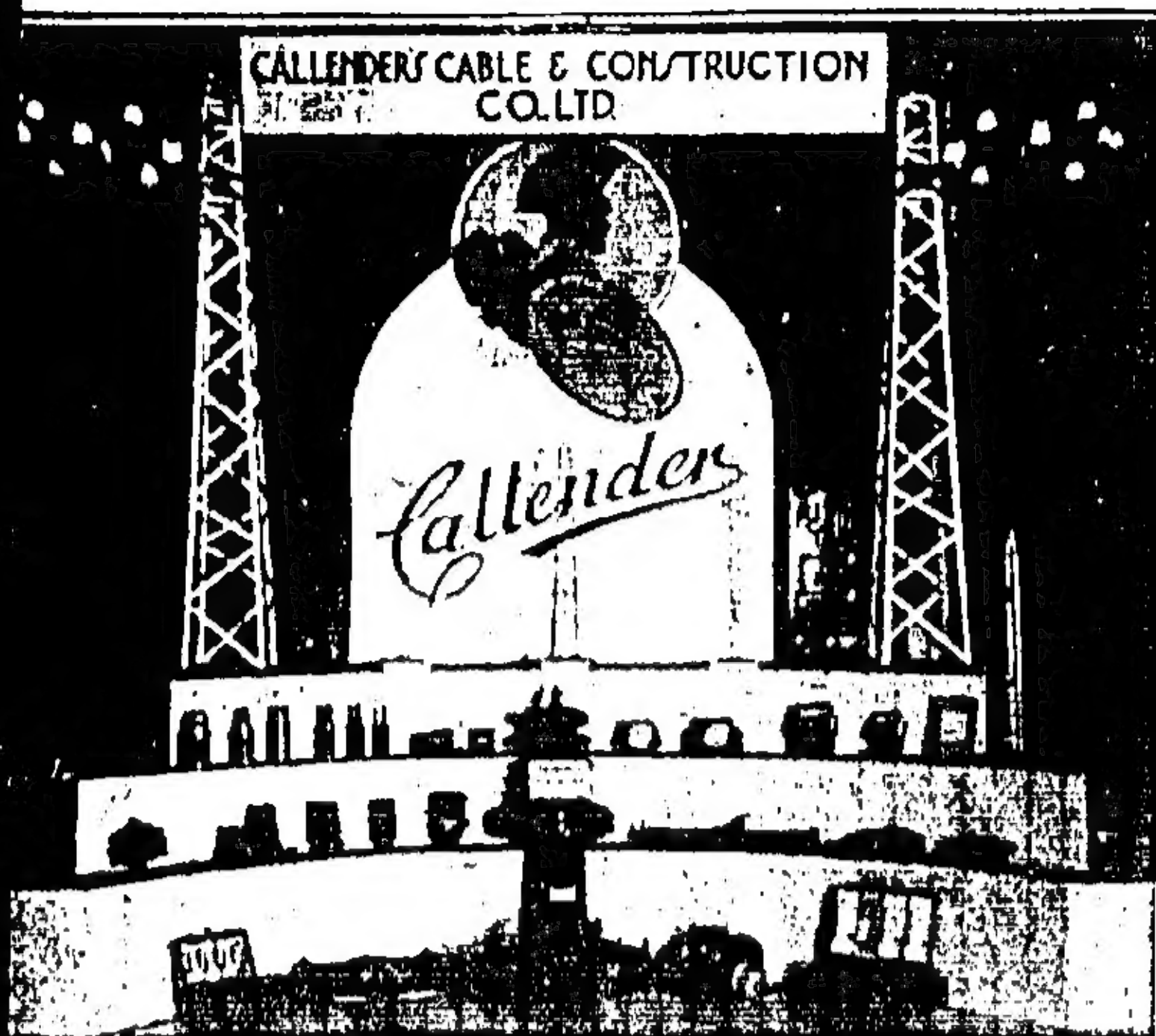
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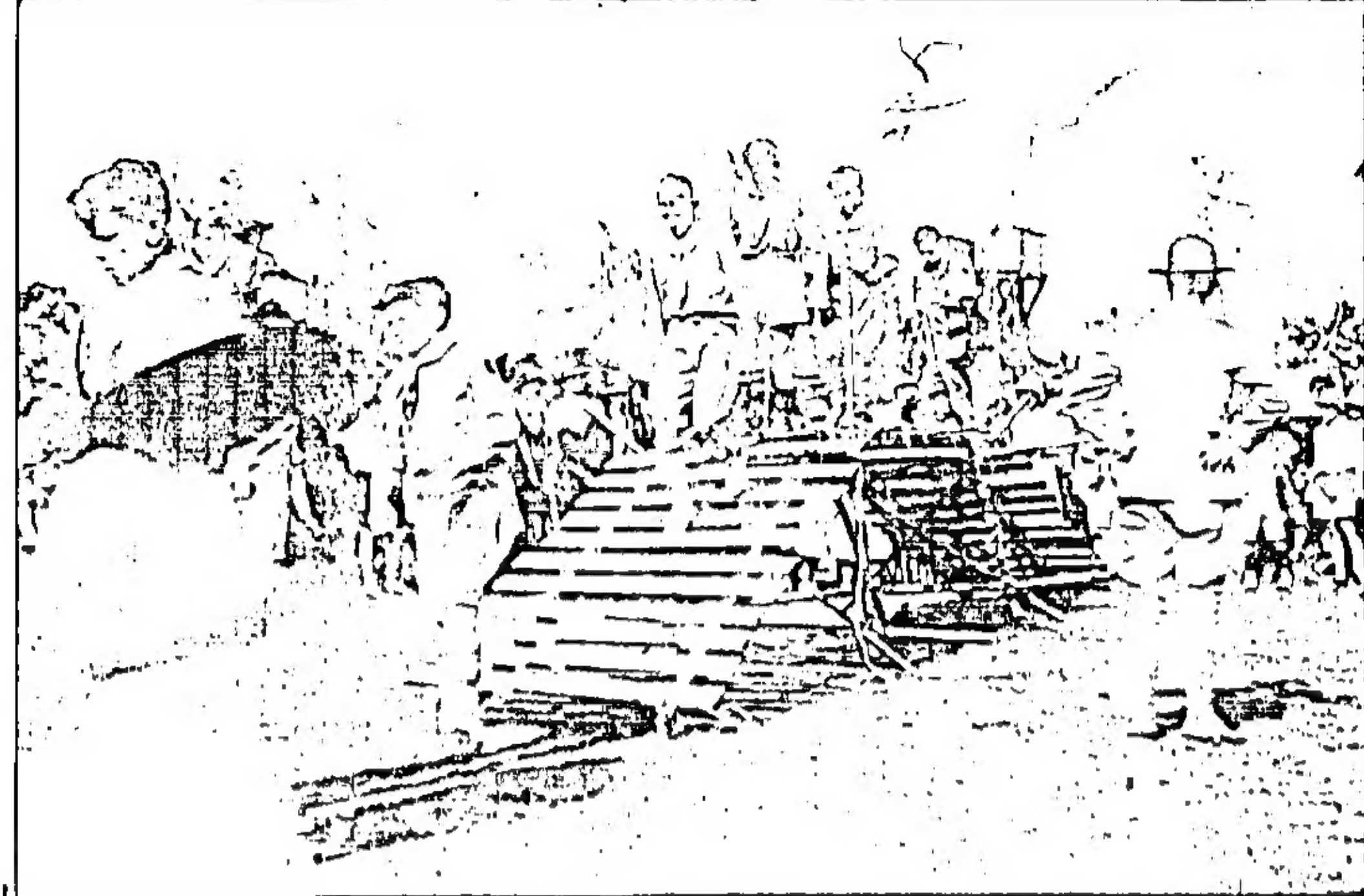
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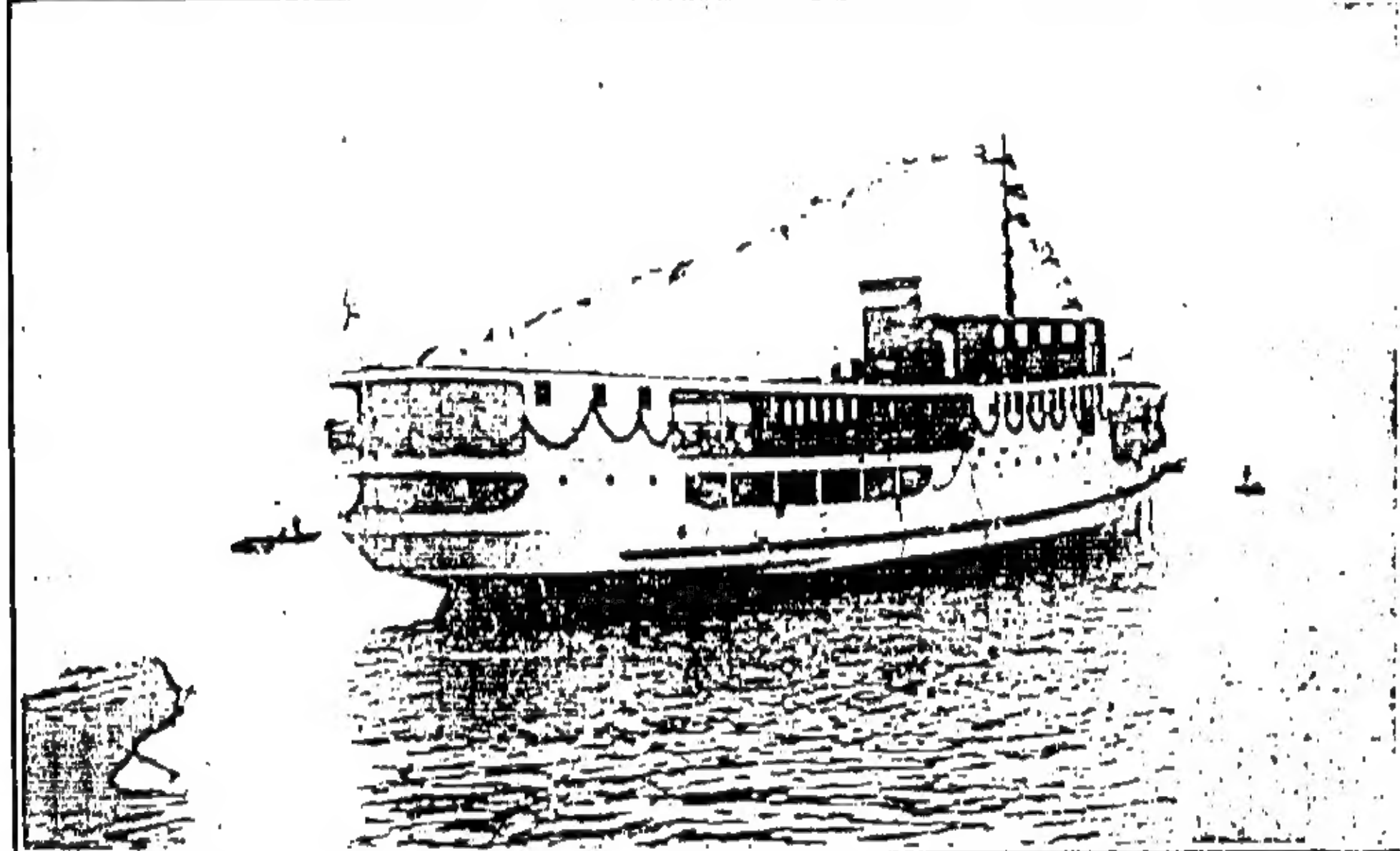
The attractive display by Callender's Cable & Construction Co. Ltd. at the recent British Empire Fair.



A happy group of men of the South Wales Borderers enjoying the pleasures of the beach at Snok O. Photo by Fujiyama.



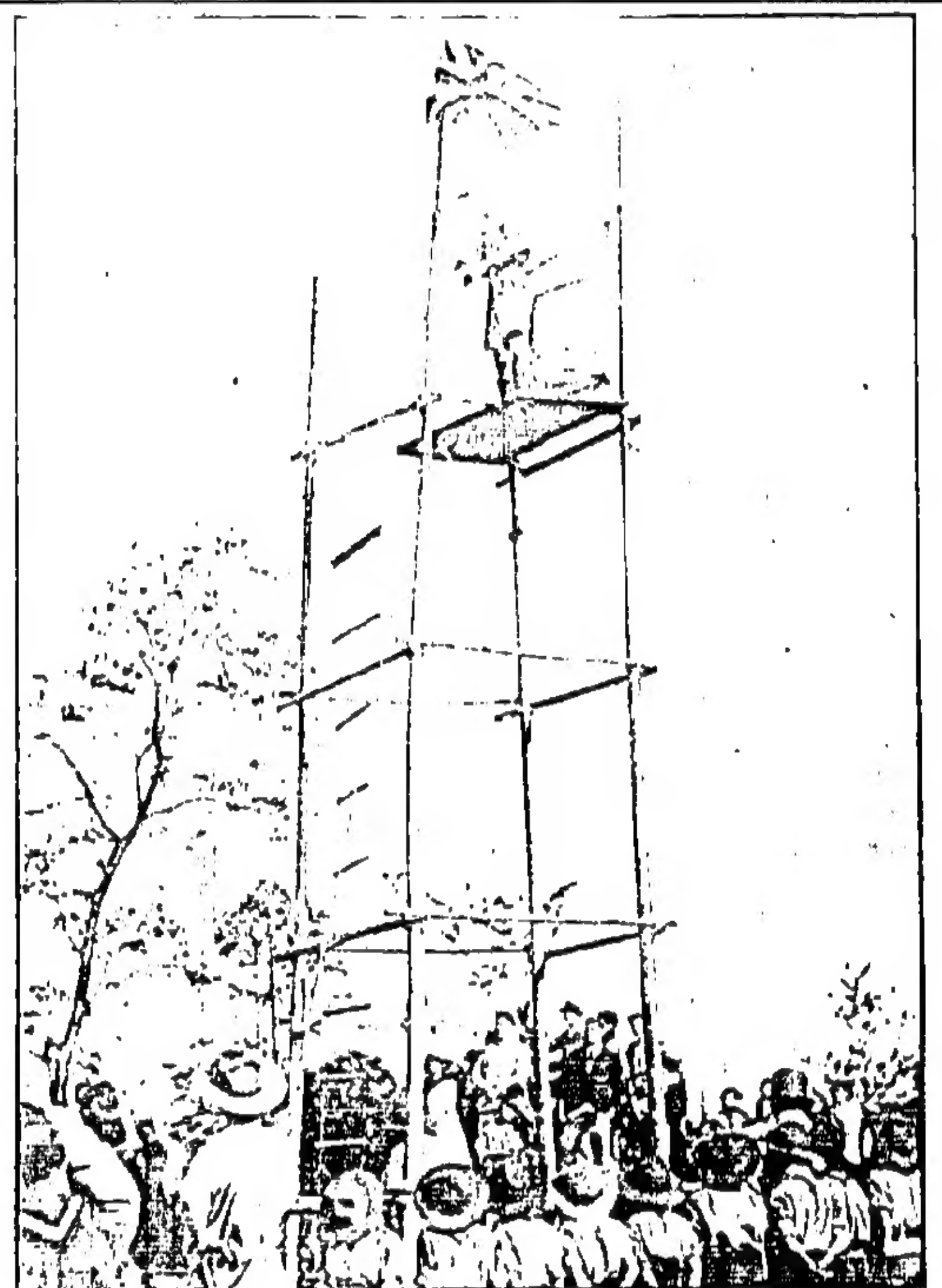
(Above & Right)  
—A Highly Successful Jamboree was held by the Boy Scouts Association, Shanghai Branch, on May 6 at the Millington Camp, 230 Hungjiao Road. One of the interesting events was bridge-building by the Community Church troop. The First Shanghai Cathedral Troop put up the best display of the day, which won the shield presented by the Shanghai Rotary Club.



M.V. Pulupandan in Kowloon Bay, immediately after her launching at the yards of the South China Motorship Building Works, Ltd., on Sunday last. The vessel is intended for passenger and cargo service in the Philippines, and has been built to the order of the De La Rama Steamship Company, Manila.

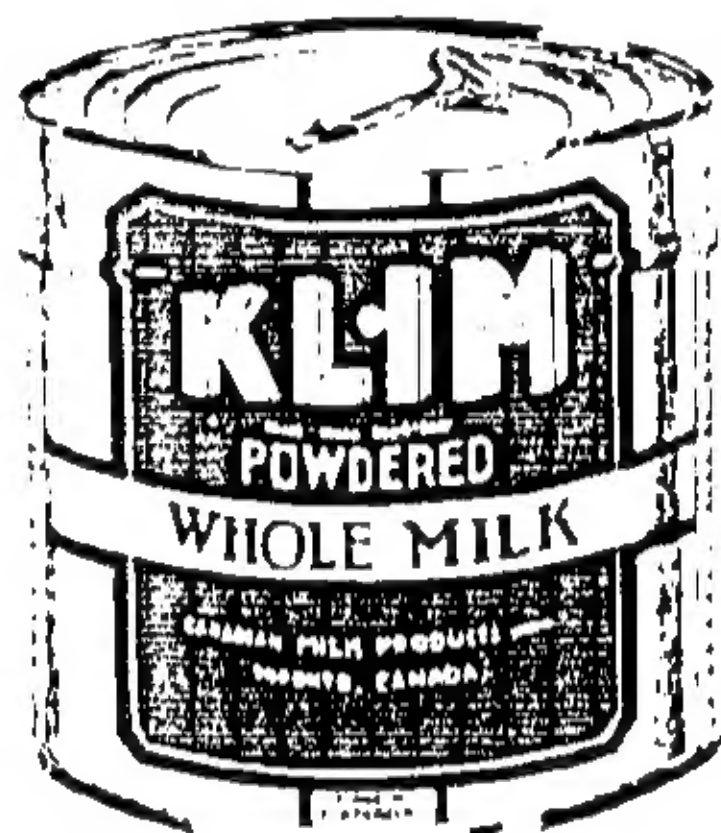


The gathering which attended the launching ceremony of the m.v. Pulupandan at the South China Motorship Building Yard on Sunday. The christening ceremony was performed by Mrs. Pirovanni, daughter of the owner. Mr. P. M. Hodgson, Chairman of the shipbuilding company, is standing front centre, with Captain G. L. Brandt, principal of Messrs. Brandt and Co., General Managers for the shipyard, on his right.



London student players of the University of London, rehearse their passion play at St. Paul's School, Kensington. Beside a grim reminder of War, the story of the Man of Peace nears its conclusion.—(S. & G.)

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One of the most colourful affairs of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps was the annual church parade which was held this year by some 700 members of the corps. Before the church services at the Cathedral and the Church of the Sacred Heart, 11 of the corps members were presented with long service medals by Mr. A. D. Bell, Chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council.



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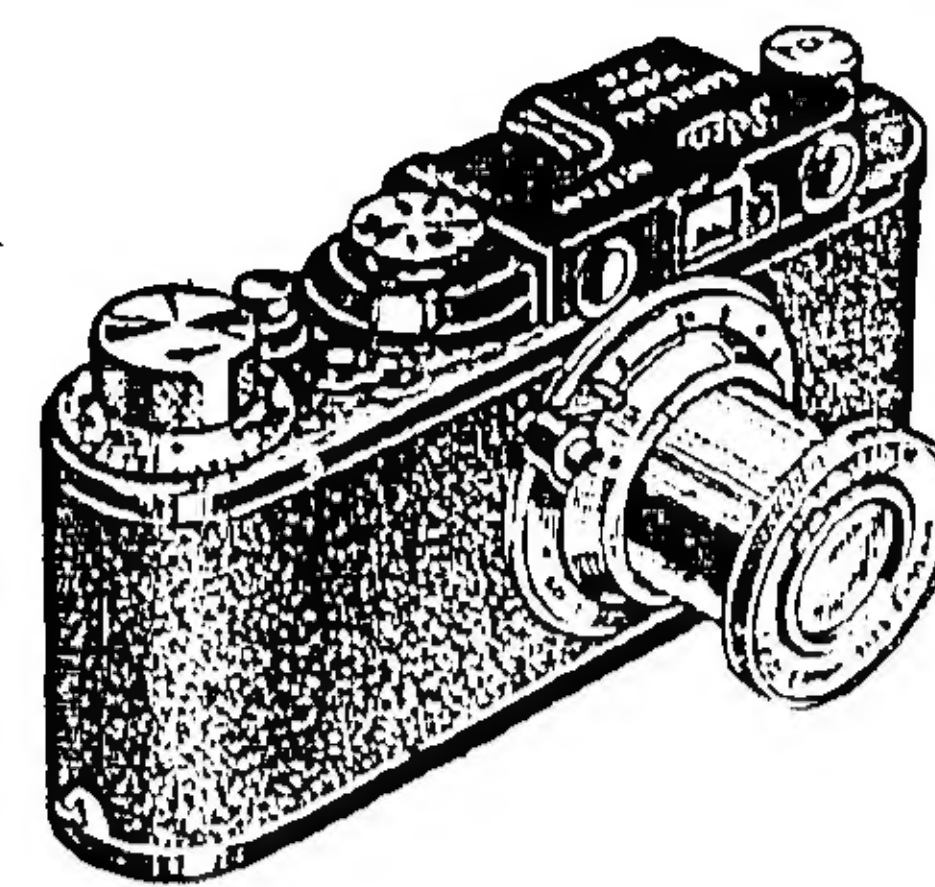
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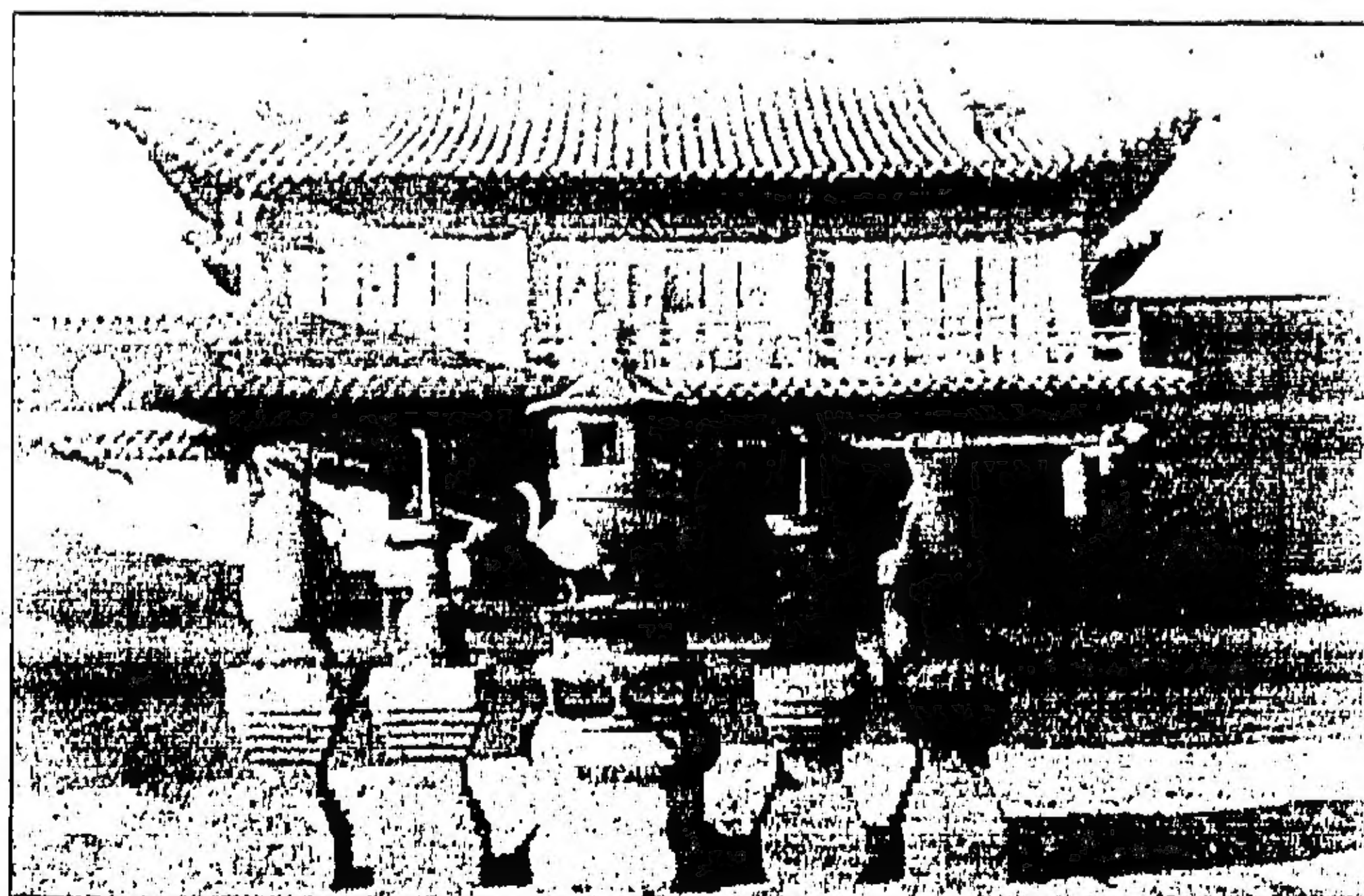
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(At Left)—Quiet and serene is this Mongolian Temple in the province of Sui-yun. The middle part of the five ornamental pieces in front of the temple is an incense burner, and the two flanking it are large candlesticks.



Sammy Judah's smile in the above picture is just as broad as the one displayed by pretty Miss Matsumoto, who is seen leading in Nationalist III, winner of the Champions and her father's pony. Even the pony seems to be pleased over its victory.



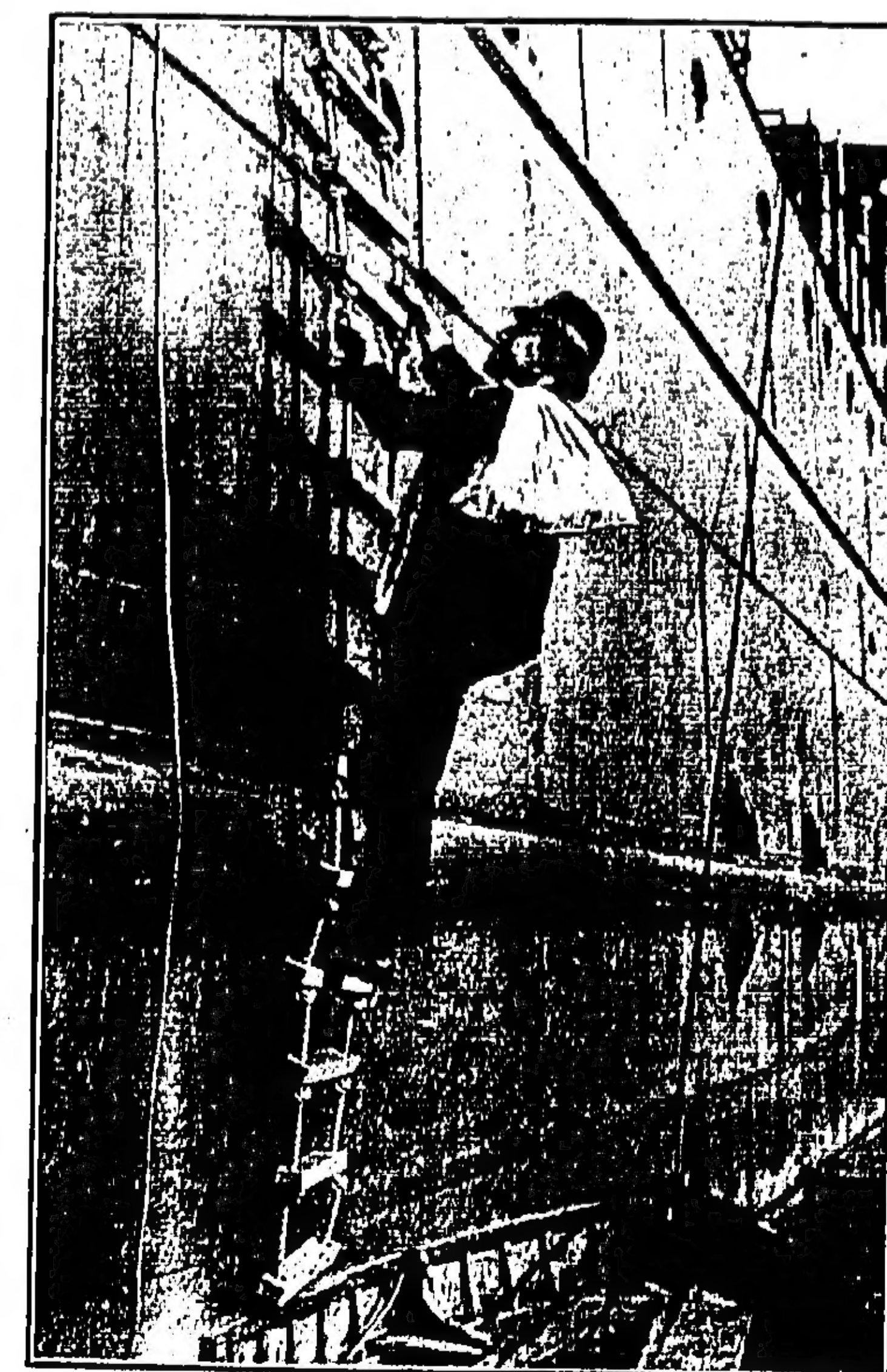
Demonstration of a fire resisting paint for use on aircraft at the London Air Park, Feltham, Middlesex. As will be seen in the picture, the box on left, which has been treated with the special paint, is absolutely fireproof and heat resisting.—(S. & G.)



Following in "Granscyther's" footsteps. Growing walking sticks. A curious craft of Mr. Bob Body, the walking-stick king.—(S. & G.)



Rickshaws, like tram cars and trains, have first and second classes, at least in the opinion of Bert Wheeler and Bob Woolsey during their stay in Shanghai, and did the coolie enjoy the experience?



An occupation—unknown to many Londoners—is that of Mr. H. L. Evans, known as the "river postman," who delivers letters to the shipping in the upper and lower pools on the Thames and down to Wapping. This particular task has been in the Evans Family for years.—(S. & G.)



## HK.'S FORCES ON PARADE

### COLOURFUL CEREMONY AT STATUE SQUARE

H.E. General Borrett Takes Salute.

IMPRESSIVE MARCH PAST BY TROOPS

The annual parade and review of troops on the occasion of the 68th birthday of His Majesty the King, took place at the Cenotaph yesterday morning. In spite of the threatening weather, large crowds watched the colourful ceremony, many Chinese being among the spectators.

Owing to the indisposition of His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.B.E., K.C.M.G., His Excellency the G.O.C. Major-General O.C. Borrett, C.B.E., C.M.G., C.B.E. reviewed the troops and took the salute. His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, China Station, Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick Dreyer, was not present, being with the fleet in the north.

His Excellency the G.O.C. escorted by the Motor Cycle section of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps arrived at Statue Square a few minutes before 10 o'clock, and was met by the senior officers of the Royal Navy, Army, and Air Force. A salute was given by the Guard of Honour on His Excellency's arrival.

After inspecting the Guard, which was composed of two officers and 50 men of the Royal Navy and two officers and 50 men of the 1st Batt. South Wales Borderers, His Excellency took up his position for the March Past.

Scarcely had he crossed the Cenotaph steps than the Royal Salute of 21 guns boomed out from Murray Parade Ground, interspersed after each seven rounds, by the sharper crackle of the *de-fouir*, fired by the 1st Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment.

After the Royal Salute, the National Anthem was played by the band of the South Wales Borderers and was followed by three rousing cheers for His Majesty.

The March Past then commenced, the long columns moving off headed by detachments of the Royal Navy, to the strains of a march played by the bands of the Lincolnshire Regiment and South Wales Borderers.

The moving columns presented an inspiring sight, the familiar khaki of the two main units throwing into sharp contrast the spotless whites of the naval men. The brilliant turbans of the Indian units added their quota to the colourful kaleidoscope. The Mountain Battery, accompanied by their mules carrying the gleaming guns were followed by the Heavy Battery and smaller units and the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, headed by the Commandant, Col. L. G. Bird, O.B.E., D.S.O. with the Colours borne by the Anzac Company.

Members of the Mounted Infantry accompanied the march on horseback, while the armoured cars, manned by members of the Armoured Car Company brought up in the rear.

**Large Crowds.** Representatives of the Royal Merchant Navy, St. John Ambulance Brigade, Boy Scouts and Guards Association also took part. The units marched past His Excellency and staff in column of route, and made their way via Connaught Road to Queen's Road, where thousands thronged the pavements to view the march.

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Commodore H. R. Marrack, D.S.C., R.N., was also present, with Payr. Lieut.-Comdr. F. R. Porter, Secretary to the Commodore and Comdr. J. E. Slesmore, D.S.C., R.N., Staff Officer (Operations). The General arrived promptly at 10 a.m. and was met by Colonel R. B. Cousins, D.S.O., Asst. Adjutant and Quarter Master General in Charge of Administration.

His Excellency took the salute in the March past, each Battalion and Unit marching past in column of route.

**Units in the March Past.** Those units taking part in the march past were in the following order:

The Royal Navy represented by H.M.S. Cornwall and Caradoc, H.M. Submarines and 8th Flotilla Destroyer under the command of Commander G. F. N. Bradford, R.N. of the Cornwall; the Royal Marines under the command of Captain R. H. K. Hill, R.M., also and Air Force. A salute was given by the Guard of Honour on His Excellency's arrival.

After inspecting the Guard, which was composed of two officers and 50 men of the Royal Navy and two officers and 50 men of the 1st Batt. South Wales Borderers, His Excellency took up his position for the March Past.

Scarcely had he crossed the Cenotaph steps than the Royal Salute of 21 guns boomed out from Murray Parade Ground, interspersed after each seven rounds, by the sharper crackle of the *de-fouir*, fired by the 1st Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment.

After the Royal Salute, the National Anthem was played by the band of the South Wales Borderers and was followed by three rousing cheers for His Majesty.

The March Past then commenced, the long columns moving off headed by detachments of the Royal Navy, to the strains of a march played by the bands of the Lincolnshire Regiment and South Wales Borderers.

The moving columns presented an inspiring sight, the familiar khaki of the two main units throwing into sharp contrast the spotless whites of the naval men. The brilliant turbans of the Indian units added their quota to the colourful kaleidoscope. The Mountain Battery, accompanied by their mules carrying the gleaming guns were followed by the Heavy Battery and smaller units and the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, headed by the Commandant, Col. L. G. Bird, O.B.E., D.S.O. with the Colours borne by the Anzac Company.

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## LONDON CITY SCHOOL OLD BOYS.

### World-Wide Search For Names.

#### CENTENARY PREPARATIONS

London.

The City of London School is searching for information about its "old boys." Wherever they are—in India, Canada, New Zealand, Australia, the Straits Settlements, the Far East, or anywhere else—it wants to hear from them.

It will be the centenary of the school as it is at present constituted in 1937, and already a register of old boys is being drawn up. Twenty thousand forms have already been sent to all the old boys whose names and addresses are known. Letters are being received from many parts of the world telling the life stories of men from this famous school, and the two Old Boys' Associations—the John Carpenter Club and the Old Citizens' Association—are sparing no efforts to make the list complete.

Although the City of London school is officially less than 100 years old, its foundation really goes back as far as 1432, for a bequest of Sir John Carpenter, a fifteenth century Town Clerk of the City, was incorporated in the City's scheme for a new school for 400 boys in the second quarter of the nineteenth century.

The historian Stow records Sir John's bequest in his chronicles in these words: "He gave tenements to the City for the finding and bringing up of four poor men's children, with meat, drinks, apparel, learning at the schools in the university, etc., until they be preferred, and then others in their places for ever."

It was not until 1832 that the School—the only public school with the boundaries of the City of London, moved to its present quarters on the Victoria Embankment, at Blackfriars.

**THIS WORLD OF OURS.** ODD FACTS OF SCIENCE IN EVERYDAY LIFE.

An alloy of nickel, steel and aluminum developed in Japan is so much less and to be more durable and lighter.

Experiments by airplane builders have indicated that engine sounds can be reduced in cabins by filling the walls of the latter with chicken feathers, which absorb the sound vibrations.

The Swedish government is considering a program for the construction of about 2500 miles of modern highways, work to begin in the near future on three roads radiating from Stockholm.

To afford the same basis for exact measurements in the United States and England the standard American inch has been shortened an amount about equal to an eighth of an inch in a mile.

The French aviation company operating long distance lines from Paris to eastern-European cities will increase the speed of its schedules by using planes having a cruising rate of 158 miles an hour.

To teach young children to play stringed instruments a New York State man has invented music with notes in different colours for each pitch, finger boards of instruments being coloured to correspond.

Employed jointly by the local government and an American philanthropist, an American engineer is building a 200-mile motor highway from the Red Sea port of Hodeida to Saida, capital of the Yemen.

**Read it in The China Mail.** The Oldest and Best Evening Newspaper in the Far East.

## Correspondence.

### BRITAIN'S OLD WAR HORSES IN EGYPT.

(To the Editor, "Sunday Herald.")

Sir,—In June of last year you very kindly published at my request an extract from the Sunday Sketch and Sunday News of May 22, 1932, containing a brief account of the distressful plight of several hundreds of Britain's Old War Horses in Egypt. Many of your readers were good enough to forward donations to me for transmission on their behalf to Lady Doris Gunston, 15 Southwick Crescent, W.2.

In a letter received to-day Lady Doris Gunston informs me that she is again hard at work in the interests of those remaining and that any further assistance sent to her from Hong Kong would be very much appreciated. She further states that the Ball held last year had realised the handsome amount of £1,500 nett and that Mrs. Brooke from Egypt had informed her that as far as can be foreseen the proceeds of the next Ball ought to clear up all the poor old War Horses in Egypt.

I have already sent individual acknowledgments for donations sent me last year, but I am sure that all your readers interested in this movement will be delighted to learn of the very gratifying progress made on behalf of these most deserving dumb friends of ours who served our Empire so well in its hour of greatest peril.

I am, Sir, Yours, etc., D. DAVIES.

Hong Kong, June 1, 1933.

### "POLITICS IN CHINA."

(To the Editor, "Sunday Herald.")

Sir,—I am most pleased to inform the House that the Sino-Japanese armistice was signed yesterday. These few words in which Sir John Simon announced to the House of Commons that a Truce had at last been signed between China and Japan on May 31, were received amid general cheers and those cheers have no doubt echoed around the World by now. Whatever the rights and wrongs of the cause of the fighting were, everyone is intensely glad that the actual loss of life and devastation of property have ceased, at any rate for the time being.

But a little black cloud to mar one's happiness quickly appears on the horizon and that little black cloud appears in the form of that wily old fox, Feng Yu-hsiang, coupled with the south-west Political Council's assurance of its unqualified support to his anti-Japanese campaign.

Feng is, we are told, organising an army of 150,000 men for the sole purpose of waging war on Japan and he solemnly declares that he will never recognise any truce reached by the Nanking command, yet the next day he issues a declaration of loyalty to Nanking.

But Nanking signed the truce so how can he be loyal to Nanking and fight the Japanese at the same time when Nanking has ordered that the fighting must cease?

Mr. T. V. Soong declares in America that there is no chaos in China "except where the Japanese invasion and Japanese intrigue" have made it. Well, now the Japanese "invasion and Japanese intrigue" have ceased, so who is creating chaos now?

Feng and the South-west Political Council obviously, because Nanking decrees that the fighting shall cease and Feng decrees otherwise, yet Feng is loyal to Nanking, the de-facto Government of China!

I have closely studied politics in China for more than twenty years so when Feng Yu-hsiang's troops up as it has in the present situation I look up my records to brush up my memory of Feng's history and this is just a little bit of it, sufficient however to show the South-west Political Council that they are backing the wrong horse. Indeed I will go further than that and say they are backing an exceedingly doubtful starter. He may carry their money, but even if he does, you can lay heavy odds to a tin kettle that he won't try, even if he does start, which I very much doubt. So the South-west Political Council will certainly lose not only their money but also a good deal of "face."

My records show that in 1924 when Wu Pei-fu drove Chang Tso-lin's forces out of China proper beyond the Great Wall back into Manchuria, Feng who was left in Peking to look

## ROYAL SCOT DRIVER TALKS.

### Would Challenge Any Train in World.

#### OFF TO AMERICA.

London.

The Royal Scot, one of the most famous trains in the world, has been sent across the Atlantic for the Chicago World Fair and is going to tour the railways of the United States and Canada.

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Now they have chosen her crew. There is Driver William Gilbertson, from Carlisle, and Fitter, W. O. Woods, aged 39 of Crews. Together the three men's service with the company total 90 years.

At 50, Mr. Gilbertson is as red-faced and little of body as a man 20 years his junior.

"I am no showman," he says, "and I suppose that does not surprise you seeing that I have been with the company since I was 14."

But just give me a change to show off my Royal Scot train on the other side of the Atlantic and see how I will do it.

"I am engine proud, I suppose, just as a woman is house proud. Give me my way, and I would challenge any train in the world to race with Royal Scot."

It would be an international contest worth watching—but there would never be a question of the result. Royal Scot will travel with a full load at between 80 and 100 miles an hour. There is nothing to touch her—not on any track in the world.

"That's how I would show 'em!"—Reuter.

## SPAIN IS FOOTBALL-MINDED.

### Game Introduced By British Sailors.

Madrid. A tribute was paid here to British sailors who introduced football to Spain, with the result that it is to-day played in every village square.

The occasion was a banquet in honour of Spanish football champions who had originally learned the game at schools in England.

Senor Garcia Sanchez, the well-known lecturer, reminded his audience that Spain owed the game to "those British sailors who rejoiced to see the grass fields on the banks of the Galician rivers, where they could play as if at home."—Reuter.

## MUSSOLINI AND KING ALBERT

(Continued from Page 1.)

Mr. J. P. Morgan, who is being defended by Mr. John W. Davis, who was once United States Ambassador to London, revealed that the firm had deposits totalling over \$250,000,000 and assets totalling \$424,000,000. He asserted that the private banker was a national asset, not a national danger.

A secret partnership agreement of the company was published on Thursday last. It was drawn up on March 31, 1916, after the death of the elder Mr. J. P. Morgan, founder of the firm, and provides, *inter alia*, that in the event of a dispute between the partners, the decision of Mr. J. P. Morgan is final. The names of the partners were not published, but it was announced that there are no "secret partners."

## ROUND THE WORLD IN A TRAM.

Prague. Train conductors here travel "once round the world" every year, according to a local statistician.

They cover about 60 miles a day over the tram routes or 21,000 miles a year.—Reuter.

After things there in Wu Pei-fu's absence, turned traitor and smote Wu Pei-fu, his own ally in the back so that Wu Pei-fu, caught between Chang Tso-lin forces and Feng's had to flee by sea to the Yangtze, and that was more or less the end of Wu Pei-fu politically.

And traitor Feng is the man the South-west Political Council are backing. My advice to them, and it is given unasked but in the friendliest spirit as a near neighbour, is to keep out of complications with Mr. Feng Yu-hsiang and concentrate their entire efforts on eliminating Bolshevism in China, like Chiang Kai-shek is so wisely doing in Central China.

L. CASSEL.

## The Anniversary Of Christianity

### Whitsuntide Marks Day Of Victory

#### 11 WHO TAUGHT THE WORLD

(By A Local Padre.)

(This is another of the series of articles written exclusively for the "Sunday Herald" by a local Army chaplain.)

TO the vast majority of people, the fact that to-day is Whit Sunday conveys nothing very much beyond the knowledge that to-morrow is Whit Monday, that the shops will be shut, and there will be a general holiday.

We can grouse as much as we like, but we have to admit that we belong to the luckiest generation that the world has ever seen. The days of our grandfathers, even of our fathers, were hard and dull compared with the ones in which we live.

Sixty years ago, or so, Whit Monday was not a public holiday. People had to work as usual. Neither leisure nor pleasure was accounted a right to the workers of those days. The people of England had more leisure in the days before the Reformation, when holidays were numerous, then they had during the period of greedy industrialism which disgraced the first half of the last century.

With the passing of Sir John Lubbock's Act in 1871, these things were remedied, but even so, before the advent of the mechanical age the working man's holidays were pretty dreary things. They usually consisted of no more than a morning's digging in his garden, an afternoon at the local fete if there happened to be one handy, a couple of pints of beer, ending up with a few fireworks in the evening.

To-day in England they can go off for miles into the Country or to the Seaside. Even for those who have no car of their own there are cheap excursions by train and char-a-banc to every part of the land.

### The Real Meaning

Good Friday, Easter, and Christmas Day, are holidays, commemorating certain fundamental facts in the Religion to which Christians belong. Yet how many of them give one thought to what lies behind the fact of these holidays from office and business?

Whit Sunday should mean far more to us than merely an extra day at furling. Behind it lies one of the most important events in the history of the world, the birth of the Christian Church, and the entrance into the world of an influence, hitherto unknown.

For 10 days after the Ascension, the Apostles had kept together in Jerusalem at the command of their risen Master, waiting in prayer for the promise of the Comforter, Who should take His place, and give them the strength they needed for the stupendous task that awaited them—the spreading of His Kingdom into the far places of the earth.

Christ Himself never left the shores of Palestine. For the three and a half years of His ministry, the Gospel had been confined, to crowned Hill of Calvary had been the answer to that appeal. Now the world was to have its chance. Nothing less was of any value.

### The Final Order

On the hilltop of Olivet, before He was parted from them, they received their final orders, "Tarry ye here in Jerusalem until ye be endued with power from on high," then "Go ye forth into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature."

Not for a moment did they stop to think of the apparent incongruity of the whole thing, 11 untutored and unlettered men, as the world reckons these things, with no training as speakers, no money at their disposal, no influence from a worldly point of view. But they did as they were told. They waited for the Power.

There is knowledge enough within the Church of every land to convert the world, if that alone would suffice, but it is as coal piled up in the fireplace—it must

have the spark to set it alight. For that they tarried.

From the upper room they went out on the Day of Pentecost, and from that moment the wondrous conquest of the world began. Not by strength or force of arms, but by the simple story of a simple life, simply given in simple service.

Less than 50 years later the influence and teaching of the Christian Faith had spread into almost every corner of the then known world. There were Christians in the household of Caesar and in every part. There was even an English lady called Claudia, who had married a Roman official, and was a Christian in the Imperial City. Everyone was a missionary in those days, wherever they went they laid the seeds of the Gospel which were to yield, in later years, the glorious harvest of the Christian Church.

Within 500 years it was the only officially accredited religion throughout the Empire. To-day its influence extends from Polo to Polo. In the wastes of the Arctic Circle there stands a Cross to mark the resting place of Captain Scott, the emblem which will bear its silent witness to our Faith through the eternal silence of the long Arctic nights.

**Symbol of Victory** Whit Sunday really stands for White Sunday, and white had always been a symbol of victory. A Roman General after a victorious campaign rode into the City on a Chariot drawn by white horses, and clad in a white toga, while the assembled multitude in the streets were white, too, in his honour.

It is still worn to-day on ceremonial occasions. Children are christened and confirmed in white. Brides wear it at their weddings. (Even though the men usually wear black, it need not be considered as a sign of pessimism!)

And so Whit Sunday stands for us too, as a day of Victory. The victory any man or woman can win over sin and temptation, if they will only yield to the influence of the Power that came on the anniversary of this day and strive by that Power to be white men in the highest sense of that term.

### News in Brief.

The name of the Tai Tak Land Investment Company, Ltd., has been struck off the Register.

Notice is given in the Government Gazette, that the Statistical Office has removed to the first floor of the old Seamen's Institute, Johnston Road, Wanchai.

A Chinese married woman, Hok Ng-mul, of Nagu Shi Wan village, was sent to the Kowloon Hospital on Friday after she had been bitten in the left leg by a dog.

The body of Wong Cheong, stone-cutter, living in a matchbox at Heung Shi Ki, was removed to the Kowloon Mortuary on Friday. He was killed during blasting operations at the quarry.

The figure representing the average opening selling rates for the month of May, 1933, of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation for demand drafts on London, is settled at 16.31.

Man Kan, of Junk No. 1244Y, received injuries when he accidentally fell into the hold of the s.s. Solviken while working cargo on Friday. He was sent to the Government Civil Hospital.

During a raid by the Police early yesterday morning at 82, Hennessy Road, a Chinese, Lam Sze-ke (25), jumped from the first floor of the building and received injuries to his head and body. He was removed to the Government Civil Hospital.





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## A PUGNACIOUS PERSONALITY BRILLIANT CAREER OF "F.E." SMITH

BIOGRAPHY BY THE SECOND  
EARL OF BIRKENHEAD

(A Foreword By Winston Churchill.)

This extract from the Earl of Birkenhead's forthcoming biography of his father comprises extracts from the "Foreword" written by Mr. Winston Churchill.

THE world of affairs and the general public saw in F. E. Smith a powerful, pugnacious personality, tramping his way across the battlefields of life, seizing its prizes as they fell, and triumphing in his prowess. They saw his rolicking air.

Acquaintances and opponents alike felt the sting of his taunts or retorts in the House of Commons and at the Bar. Many were prone to regard him as a mere demagogue whose wits had been sharpened upon the legal grindstone.

It is a judgment which those who practise the popular arts before working-class audiences in times of faction are likely to incur. The qualities which lay behind were not understood by his fellow countrymen till the last ten years of his life.

But his close friends, and certainly I, proclaimed him for what he was—a sincere patriot; a wise, grave, sober-minded statesman; a truly great jurist; a scholar of high attainments; and a gay, brilliant, loyal, lovable being. We made several considerable journeys together. We both served in the Oxfordshire Hussars. We were repeatedly together at Blenheim.

We met and talked on innumerable occasions; never did I separate from him without having learned something, and enjoyed myself besides. He was always great fun; but more than that he had a massive commonsense and a sagacious comprehension which made his counsel invaluable, whether in public or private embarrassment. He had all the canine virtues in a remarkable degree—courage, fidelity, vigilance, love of the chase.

Silent in the Cabinet.

He had reached settled and somewhat sombre conclusions upon a large number of questions, about which many people are content to remain in placid suspense. Man of the world; man of affairs; man of the law; adept at the written or spoken word; athlete; sportsman; booklover—there were few topics in

which he was not interested, and whatever attracted him, he could explain and embellish.

Eighteen years ago when the first Coalition was formed, and I began again to work with the Tories, in everything but Protection, we found ourselves colleagues, first in war and afterwards in peace.

For nearly ten years we sat together in Cabinet; and I can hardly recall any question, certainly none of first importance, upon which we were not in hearty and natural agreement. Most of all do I deplore his absence now that the future of India is at stake. But to pursue this further would trespass beyond the limits allowed to me.

For all the purposes of discussion, argument, exposition, appeal or altercation F. E. had a complete armoury. The bludgeon for the platform; the rapier for a personal dispute; the entangling net and unexpected trident for the Courts of Law; and a jug of clear spring water for an anxious perplexed conclave.

Many examples are given by his son of his use of these various methods. Most of all I like to hear him in the Cabinet. I trust I shall violate no secrecy when I say that he was a singularly silent member. He had acquired in the legal profession the habit of listening mute and motionless hour after hour, and he rarely spoke until he was appealed to for his counsel. Then his manner was so quiet, so reasonable, so matter-of-fact and sensible that you could feel opinion being changed; and promptly as he warmed to his subject, there grew that glow of conviction and appeal, instinctive and matchless, which constitutes true eloquence.

Often I have thought of Mr. Pitt's famous translation of some Latin epigram, which if he were here F. E. would tell me:

"Eloquence is like the flame. It requires fuel to feed it, motion to excite it and it brightens as it burns."

In my experience he and Mr. Lloyd George were both at their best in gatherings of ten or a dozen men, every one of whom was well-informed upon the question at issue, and upon whom the effect of claspnet in booklover—there were few topics in

would only be disastrous.

I have said he was remarkably consistent in opinion. He was more; he was persistent. In every affair public or personal if he was with you on the Monday, you would find him the same on the Wednesday, and on the Friday when things looked blue, he would still be marching forward with strong reinforcements.

Work & Play With Might & Main.

The opposite type of comrade or ally is so very common that I single this out as a magnificent characteristic. He loved pleasure; he was grateful for the gift of existence; he loved every day of his life. But no one could work harder. From his youth he worked and played with might and main.

He had a singular power of concentration, and five or six hours of sustained thought upon a particular matter was always within his compass. He possessed what Napoleon praised, the power "de fixer les objets longtemps sans être fatigué." No doubt he presumed often in his legal work upon his great quickness of mastering a difficult field and getting to the roots. He was never entangled in the briars of detail.

I remember after he had taken silk and was in the front rank at the Bar, how it was the fashion in the Liberal Government circles of those days to say that he had no real grasp of the fundamentals of the law. I lived to see him take his place among the great Lord Chancellors who have interpreted that marvellous structure of English good sense and right feeling.

His son tells us of his becoming a Privy Councillor at the Coronation in 1910. I think I had something to do with that. I knew Mr. Asquith thought highly of him and liked his mind with refined professional appreciation. I urged his inclusion as a Privy Councillor in the non-party honours list.

The author tells us of the curious reaction which this proposal by the Prime Minister produced upon Mr. Balfour then the leader of the Opposition. I do not think it was jealousy or fear of subsequent complications. Mr. Balfour had his long-built-up ideas about how patronage and promotions should be distributed among members of the party over which he and his uncle had reigned for a generation.

At any rate he opposed it, and in order to carry the proposal it was found necessary to confer another Privy Councillorship upon Mr. Bonar Law. This probably turned the scale in favour of Mr. Bonar Law's leadership and may traceably have altered the course of history. However, it is always being altered by something or other.

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OUTCLASSED.

A doctor in Glasgow says he can tell if a man is "light" by just looking at him. Pahl! My wife doesn't even have to look.

ENGINE-UNITY.

Maybe the Russians can't make machines, but they know all there is to know about engineering trouble.

JUST A LITTLE SOMETHING.  
There's only one thing I can't stand About the sweetest girl I see, It's not her hair, her eyes, her ways, It's simply this: She can't stand me.

BRAND-NEW STORY.

The absent-minded professor who met the present-minded little gold-digger.

See Any Prospectus.  
Truth may be at the bottom of a well, but not an oil well.

"George, Come Here at Once."

A speaker at a teachers conference last week said that women will never rule men. Now I'll try to think of a funny story.

NOT AWFULLY POETIC.

(But oh! How true!) Wife swapped overcoat

For couple of plants—

Oh, how the wind whistles Through my pants.

PRESENTING A HINT.



"Absence makes the heart grow fonder," murmured the sentimental youth.  
"Oh, I don't know," remarked the matter-of-fact girl. "Did you ever try presents?"

EPITAPH.

O, gather pale lilies for Benjamin Swift,  
Who went down the lift shaft without using the lift.

TOPICAL PROVERB.

Never put off to-day what you may have to put on to-morrow.

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Few men, we are told, have the courage to leave even a nagging wife. None but the brave desert the fair. . . .

NATURE PROBLEM.

According to a naturalist, there is a fish that washes its young. But how in the world are the little ones dried?

A PRETTY SIGHT.

A beauty doctor recently married one of his patients. The happy couple left the church under a double line of arched eyebrows.

SCREEN VERSION.

Love, honour, and "Oh, boy."

How Poor Blinks Met His Fate.  
His wife told the gardener to kill every worm he could see in the garden.

Countryside Cameo.

She: Do you know, you are the first man who's ever kissed me.  
He: And do you know, looking at you, I'm not surprised.

POOR CHARLIE!

BRIDE: Boo-hoo—Charlie grumbled at me for serving the soup last.

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BRIDE: I know—boo-hoo—but it wasn't soup. It was coffee.





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#### BRIDGE NOTES

### VITAL MISTAKES IN PLAY.

(By A. E. MANNING FOSTER).

**EXPERIENCE,** wrote Oscar Wilde, "is the name men give to their mistakes." At Bridge it is by the mistakes we make and see others make that we learn, or ought to learn. Many players, however, seem incapable of profit by experience. Perhaps they do not realize their mistakes, or, if they do, they forget the lesson. They go on year after year blundering along, making the same sorts of errors, and never improving. Every player makes mistakes. The difference between the good and the bad player is that the good player knows when he has made a mistake, and profits by it. There are certain kinds of mistakes that the good player never makes. There are intelligent and unintelligent mistakes.

Occasionally in these columns I give examples of badly-played hands, because I believe that they may be just as useful to the ordinary player as examples of clever play. They may, indeed, be more useful, since the player who cannot expect to aspire to brilliant coups can derive benefit from studying what not to do. It is easier to learn to correct a fault than to master the higher forms of strategy. For the sake of clearness, I give, as a rule, the contents of all four hands, and this, no doubt, affects, although probably unconsciously, the judgment of those who read. With the knowledge of what each player holds, it seems impossible that any reasonable person could make such egregious mistakes as are shown in some of my examples. Yet they are chosen (they are not invented) from actual play either witnessed by myself or given to me by friends and correspondents, and they occur usually at clubs amongst regular and hard-bitten performers. A few days ago I had a rather amusing experience. A kindly critic, after the usual complimentary remarks, ventured to say that the play given last week by A in defence was so bad that he could not conceive it being made, and the inference was that the example was not worth giving. I did not suggest that possibly he might be influenced by seeing all the hands. But, later, he himself in play was guilty of an amazing blunder which cost him the game and rubber. Here are the hands:—

Y:—  
Spade—Q, 8  
Heart—J, 9, 4  
Diamond—A, K, Q, 7, 4, 3  
Club—8, 6

A:—  
Spade—J, 8, 2  
Heart—A, 7, 3  
Diamond—J, 10  
Club—A, Q, 10, 5, 2

B:—  
Spade—A, 9, 7, 6, 4  
Heart—5  
Diamond—8, 6, 2  
Club—9, 7, 4, 3

Z:—  
Spade—K, 10, 3  
Heart—K, Q, 10, 8, 6, 2  
Diamond—9, 5  
Club—K, J

Contract Bridge. Score, Y Z game; A B love. A deals and bids "One Club;" Y "Two diamonds;" B "No bid;" Z "Two Hearts;" A "No bid;" Y "Four Hearts." All pass.

The bidding was somewhat formal on the part of Y, being vulnerable, but he relied presumably upon Z being able to make use of the long Diamonds. But it is the play with which we are concerned.

Seeing all four hands it is obvious that A B can defeat the contract with a Spade, a Heart and two Clubs, provided B is put in to lead Clubs. But it did not happen. Z actually made five by cards. A had, it is to be admitted, a difficult opening. Rightly he did not like to lead from his Ace, Queen of Clubs. He chose the Jack of Diamonds. Well and good! There is no fault to be found with this initial lead, although the lead of a small Heart might have been better. The trick was taken by Dummy with the Queen of Diamonds and the 4 of Hearts led. Z played the Queen and A won with the Ace. Now he committed his fatal mistake. He led his second Diamond. Y won with the King and two rounds of Hearts were played. Y taking the second with the Knave. Consequently Z got

four discards on the Diamonds and A B won two tricks only.

It is impossible to defend A's play on any grounds. His idea of killing Dummy's long suit of Diamonds was sound enough. But, after the first trick, he should have seen that it was impossible, as Y held the Jack of Hearts as entry for the Diamonds.

How should A have played? Having opened with the Diamond he had two courses open. He should either have held up the Ace of Hearts until the third round of the suit, in which case B should throw his 9 of Spades to indicate a lead, or, when he won the first Heart trick with the Ace, have led a Spade.

This is not double dummy or judging by results and knowledge of all four hands. It is a sound principle that when you can foresee that the game can be saved only if your partner has a certain card, you must play on the chance that he has it. There was no certainty, of course, that B held the Ace of Spades. He might hold the King of Clubs or he might hold nothing of value. But the Spade lead undoubtedly offered the only chance of saving the game and therefore A ought to have tried it.

#### CIVIL SERVICE CHANGES.

#### Mr. Breen As Colonial Secretary.

Several changes in the Government service are announced in the *Government Gazette* this week.

Mr. J. Barrow is appointed Assistant Superintendent of Imports and Exports, and Mr. M. J. Breen, during the absence of the Hon. Mr. Edwin Taylor, will act as Colonial Treasurer, Collector of Stamp Revenue, Assessor of Rates and Commissioner to carry out the provisions of the Estate Duty Ordinance.

Mr. G. S. Kennedy-Skipiton is appointed Senior Assistant Colonial Treasurer and Mr. W. J. Carrie takes over the post of Postmaster-General.

#### LOCAL TENDERS INVITED.

#### House At Royal Observatory.

Tenders for the Blue Pool Road improvements for the construction of 2,000 feet of 25 foot wide road to replace the lower portion of the old road, are invited in the *Government Gazette*.

Tenders are invited for the construction of a catchwater along the northern slopes of Mount Collision, to be known as the Pottinger Peak Catchwater.

Tenders are invited this week for the erection of a detached house in the grounds of the Royal Observatory. The building is to be used as quarters.

#### A PUGNACIOUS PERSONALITY

(Continued from Page 8.)

Double-Dose of Human Nature. It would be easy to transgress the limits I must assign myself, but I have regarded as a rare privilege to be invited to put down these few words about a man I admired so much and liked so well. He is the only one of my contemporaries from conversation with whom I have derived the same pleasure and profit as I got from Balfour, Morley, Asquith, Rosebery, and Lloyd George. One did feel after a talk with these men that things were simpler and easier, and that Britain would be strong enough to come through all her troubles.

F. E. has gone, and gone when sorely needed. His record remains. It is not in every aspect a model for all to copy. Whose is?

He seemed to have a double-dose of human nature. He burned all his candles at both ends. His physique and constitution seemed to be capable of supporting indefinitely every form of mental and physical stress. When they broke the end was swift.

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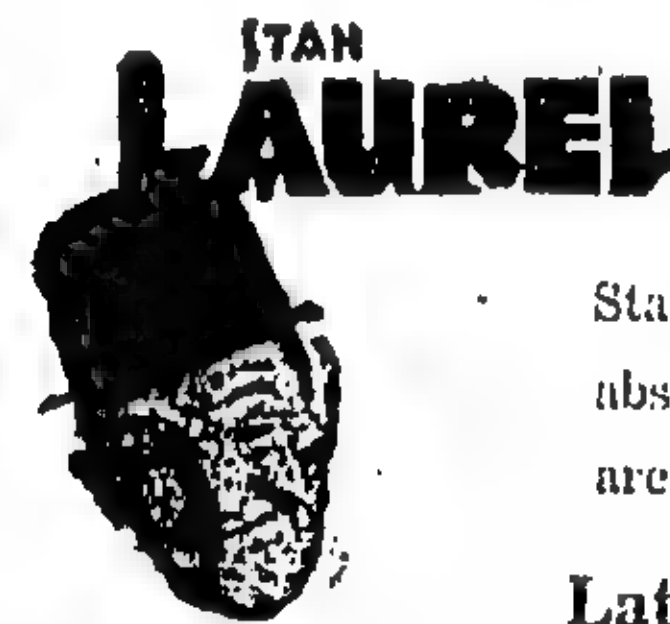
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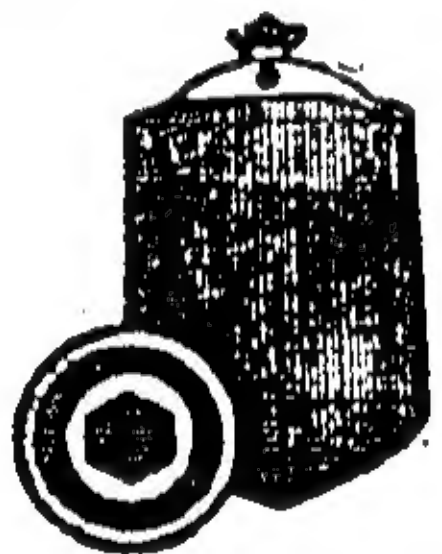
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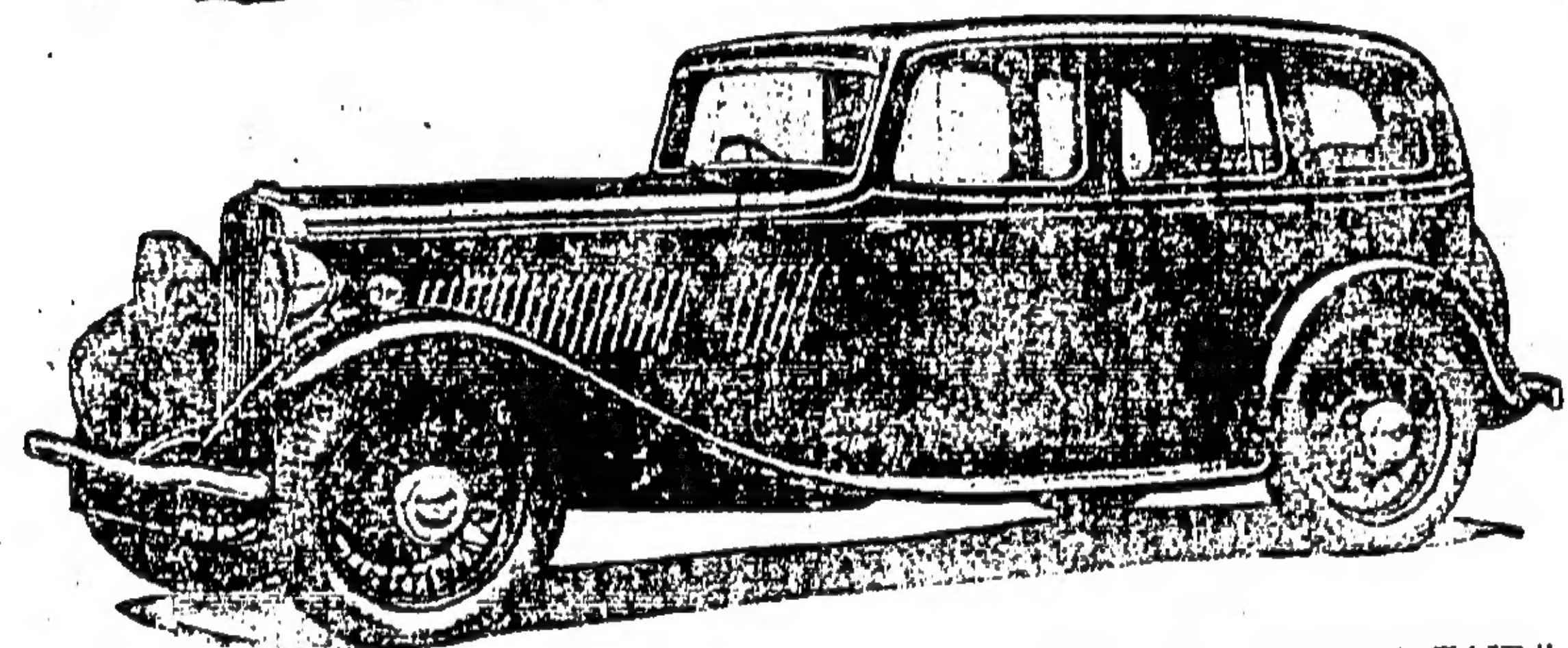
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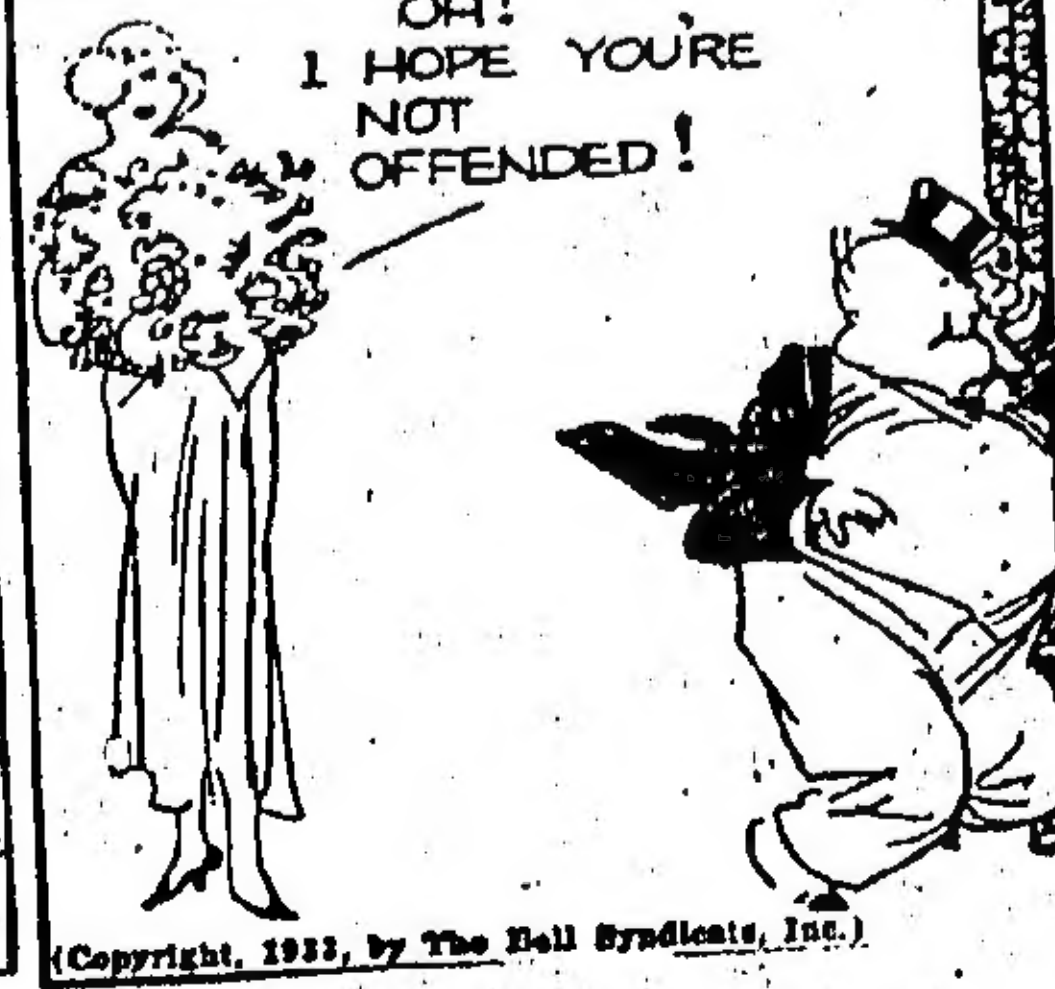
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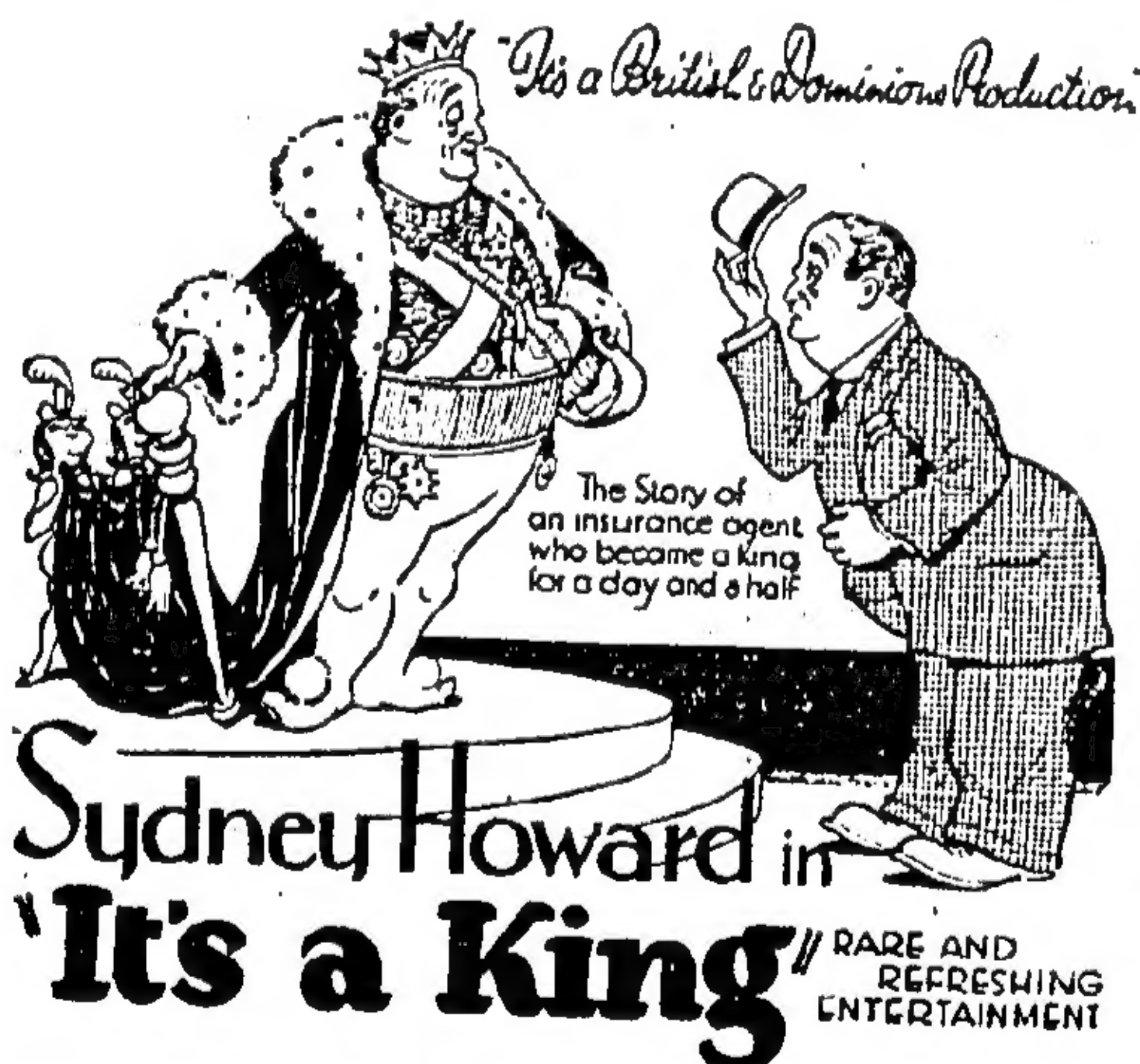
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"It's great to be back and to be working again," she says, "Pictures are natural to me. They are my life. And I've missed them during the past year."

A year ago, with no parts in view for her, she left Hollywood for the first time in many years and in forty weeks played forty leading cities with a short stage revue, (Fanchon and Marco). It looked, when she left, as if her career was about at an end, as far as leads were concerned. Ninety percent of those who started at the same time she did—in 1915—were out of pictures. Licked. But no Betty.

Betty was born in Beaver, educated in Salt Lake City. Talented as a violinist, she got herself a job on the Orpheum circuit. When she reached Los Angeles, Al Christie, then making Nestor comedies at Universal City, saw her—and fell in love with her blonde beauty. Her first one reel picture was "Wanted—A Leading Lady," and this was followed by "Where the Heather Blooms."

She fought a slow battle to the top rung of the ladder of motion picture fame.

She made serials with Bill Desmond, who is still making serials on the Universal City stages to-day. She was featured with Eddie Lyons and Lee Moran. Then came her chance in "The Miracle Man," starring Thomas Meighan. Two other stars emerged from that picture, Lon Chaney and Betty Compson. She was, for years, Paramount's star of stars.

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Southern, C. M. G., Colonial Sec-  
retary in Hong Kong since 1926,  
has been created Knight Comman-  
der of the British Empire in the  
Birthday Honours list.—Reuter.

Born in 1879, Sir Wilfrid Thomas  
Southern, K. B. E., C. M. G., is the son  
of the late Mr. Josiah Southern of  
Leamington Spa. He was educated  
at Warwick School and Corpus  
Christi College, Oxford, where he  
took his B.A. in 1903, in which year  
he entered the Ceylon Civil Service.

In 1909 he was appointed Ad-  
ditional Assistant Colonial Secre-  
tary, and after holding various  
other posts, he was appointed  
Chief Assistant Colonial Secre-  
tary in 1920.

From 1923 to  
1925 he held the  
post of Principal  
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oms and Chair-  
man of the  
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Commission. He  
served on both  
the Executive and  
Legislative Coun-  
cils of Ceylon.

He was ap-  
pointed Colonial  
Secretary to the  
Hong Kong Gov-  
ernment in 1926,  
arriving in the  
Colony on May 1.  
During his term of office in Hong  
Kong, Sir Thomas has three times  
been Officer Administering the Gov-  
ernment, from October 1 to October  
27, 1929, from February 1 to May  
8, 1930 and again last year, when  
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1904, was appointed Chief Inspector  
on June 10, 1928 and left for Home  
on leave, prior to retirement, in  
April last. His first appointment  
was as a Third Class Sanitary  
Inspector.

In May, 1908, he was made a  
First Class Sanitary Inspector, ris-  
ing to Senior Sanitary Inspector in  
1923.

In 1926 he was appointed Acting  
Chief Inspector.  
Before joining the Government  
service, Mr. Frith was in the Royal  
Marines, and saw service during the  
Boxer Rebellion in 1900. He was  
awarded the China Medal. After  
leaving the Navy he spent a short  
while in the Royal Naval Dockyard,  
from where he joined the Sanitary  
Department.

For many years an active mem-  
ber of the H. K. V. D. C., Mr. Frith  
took a keen interest in shooting  
competitions in which he assisted in  
organising for the Corps. He re-  
presented the Corps on many oc-  
casions and was a member of the team  
which won the Belliss Shield for  
three years. He has received the  
Long Service Medal.

**GOVERNMENT GAZETTE  
EXTRAORDINARY.**

A Government Gazette Extra-  
ordinary was yesterday published,  
announcing the Birthday Honours  
conferred upon Colony residents,  
and upon Mr. C. E. Frith who is  
now at Home on leave pending re-  
tirement. It states—  
His Majesty the King has been

## BIRTHDAY HONOURS AWARDED

**COLONIAL SECRETARY  
KNIGHTED**

**DUKE OF GLOUCESTER AND  
LORD LYTON RECOGNISED**

LONDON, YESTERDAY.

ONE KNIGHT OF THE GARTER, TWO KNIGHTS OF THE  
THISTLE, FOUR PEERS, TWO BARONETS, ONE PRIVY  
COUNSELLOR, 27 KNIGHT BACHELORS AND TWO COM-  
PANIONS OF HONOUR HAVE BEEN CREATED IN THE  
BIRTHDAY HONOURS LIST.

H.R.H. Prince Henry, Duke of Gloucester receives the Order  
of Knight of the Thistle, while the Earl of Lytton, who headed  
the League Mission to Manchuria, last year, is created a Knight  
of the Garter. Lady Simon, wife of Sir John Simon, the Foreign  
Secretary, is created a Dame Commander of the Empire.

THE HON. MR. W. T. SOUTHRN, COLONIAL SECRE-  
TARY FOR HONG KONG IS CREATED KNIGHT COMMAN-  
DER OF THE EMPIRE. THE IMPERIAL SERVICE ORDER  
HAS BEEN CONFERRED UPON MR. CHARLES EDWARD  
FRITH, CHIEF SANITARY INSPECTOR IN HONG KONG.—  
REUTER.

London, Yesterday.

His Majesty the King is 68 years  
old to-day and the occasion is be-  
ing celebrated throughout the Em-  
pire H. R. H. the Prince of Wales  
will deputise for His Majesty, at  
ceremony of the Trooping of the  
Colour which, as usual, will take  
place this morning on the Horse  
Guards' Parade. The Government  
dinner in honour of the anniversary  
was held yesterday evening at the  
Foreign Office.

Birthday honours to be conferred  
by H.M. the King are announced  
as follows:—

The King's third son, H.R.H. the  
Duke of Gloucester, is appointed  
Knight of the Thistle.

Peerages are conferred on:—  
Mr. George Lane Fox, M.P.  
Sir Edward Hille, M.P.  
Sir Ernest Palmer, Chairman  
of the Council of the Royal Col-  
lege of Music.

Major-General John Seely,  
Chairman of the National Sav-  
ings Committee.  
Sir Dennis Herbert, M.P., Deputy  
Speaker of the House of Commons,  
becomes a Member of the Privy  
Council.

Baronetcies are conferred  
on Sir Martin Melvin and Sir  
George Penny, M.P., Comptrol-  
ler of His Majesty's House-  
hold.

Among 26 new Knights are:—  
Mr. William Duke Elder, Ophthalmic  
Surgeon who was in attendance on the  
Prime Minister when under treatment  
for eye trouble.

Mr. Angus Scott, Chairman of the  
London County Council.  
Mr. Harry Preston, for services to  
sport and philanthropy.  
John Collings-Squire, for services to  
literature.

**LORD LYTON HONOURED.**  
The Earl of Lytton, who was  
Chairman of the League of Nations  
Mission to Manchuria, becomes  
Knight of the Order of the Garter.  
The Earl of Elgin becomes  
Knight of the Thistle.

Miss Horniman, for services to  
drama, receives a Companion of  
Honour.

Promotions and appointment to  
the Order of the Bath, include the

graciously pleased to approve the  
following appointment in the Most  
Excellent Order of the British Em-  
pire (Civil Division):—  
To be an Ordinary member of the  
Second Class or Knight Comman-  
der:—

The Honourable Mr. Wilfrid  
Thomas Southern, C. M. G.

His Majesty the King has been  
graciously pleased to approve the  
appointment of Charles Edward  
Frith, Esquire, to be a Companion  
of the Imperial Service Order.

In the name of His Majesty the  
King His Excellency the Governor  
has been pleased to award Cer-  
tificates of Honour to the following  
persons in recognition of their loyal  
and valuable services to the Gov-  
ernment of Hong Kong:—  
Li Yik-mul, Esq., J.P.  
T'ani Wan-t'ong, Esq., J.P.

following:—  
Admiral of Fleet Sir Frederick Field,  
Sir Herbert Creedy, Permanent  
Under-Secretary for War,  
Colonel Clive Wigram, Private  
Secretary to the King,  
General Sir Robert Cassels, Indian  
Army.

They become Knights of the  
Grand Cross.

**DIPLOMATS RECOGNISED.**  
In the Order of St. Michael and  
St. George:—  
Sir Alexander Slater, Governor  
of Jamaica.

Lieutenant General Wanchope,  
High Commissioner in Palestine,  
become Knights of the Grand  
Cross.

Mr. Joseph Addison, British  
Minister at Prague.

Mr. Reginald Hoare, British  
Minister at Tehran.

George Mounsey, Assistant  
Under-Secretary at the Foreign  
Office become Knights Comman-  
ders.

In the Royal Victorian  
Order, new Knights of the  
Grand Cross include:—  
Sir Edward Elgar, eminent  
composer, for his services to  
music.

**DAME COMMANDERS.**  
In the Order of the British Em-  
pire:—  
Baroness Denman, Chairman of  
the National Federation of  
Women's Institutes.

Kathleen, Lady Simon, wife of  
the Foreign Secretary, in recogni-  
tion of her work in connection with  
the international campaign for an  
anti-slavery convention.

Both are appointed Dame Com-  
manders.—British Wireless Ser-  
vice.

**DISTINGUISHED SOLDIER.**  
Major-General the Rt. Hon. John  
Seely, C. B., C. M. G., D. S. O.,  
has been Chairman of the National Sav-  
ings Committee since 1926, and Lord  
Lieutenant of Hampshire since 1918.

He has a distinguished war record,  
serving in both the South African  
campaign and the Great War. Before  
the Great War he was Under-Secre-  
tary for the Colonies and Secretary of  
State for War. He holds the French  
Government's gold medal for saving  
life at sea.

**SIR ERNEST PALMER.**  
Sir Ernest Palmer is one of His  
Majesty's Lieutenants for the City  
of London and a member and patron  
of many musical societies. He was  
presented with the Honorary Freedom  
of the Worshipful Company of Musicians,  
in recognition of the services he has  
rendered to music.

**PROMINENT PUBLISHER.**  
Sir Edward M. Hille, C. B. E., Officer  
of the Legion of Honour, is a pro-  
minent newspaper proprietor, being  
joint owner of the Daily Telegraph,  
The Midland Daily Telegraph and a  
Director of Allied Newspapers, Ltd.,  
the Cornhill Press, Ltd. and the  
Chairman of Messrs. Hille and Sons,  
Ltd., the publishers.

In addition he is on the board of  
several prominent insurance concerns  
and is President of the Association of  
the British Chamber of Commerce.

**FORMER CABINET MINISTER.**  
The Rt. Hon. Mr. George Richard  
Lano-Fox, P. C., M. P., has been Chair-  
man of the Reorganisation Com-  
mission for Pig Products, since 1932, and  
has held the Unionist Seat for the  
Barkston Ash Division, West Riding,  
Yorkshire, since 1906. He has twice  
been Secretary for Mines and was a  
member of the Indian Statutory Com-  
mission from 1925 to 1927. He was  
wounded during the Great War.

**AT GOVERNMENT  
HOUSE.**

Husbands Attend Last  
Night's Reception.

LADY PEEL RECEIVES GUESTS.

A representative gathering was  
present at Government House last  
night, on the occasion of the  
King's Birthday Ball. His Excel-  
lency the Governor, Sir William  
Peel, K. C. M. G., K. B. E., was unable  
to attend owing to his recent in-  
disposition from which he has not  
yet fully recovered, and in his ab-  
sence, the guests were received by  
Lady Peel.

Many hundred guests, assem-  
bled, including officers of the  
Royal Navy, Army and Air Force,  
Consular officials, Council Mem-  
bers, Government officials and  
many prominent Chinese and  
European residents.

Among the guests were:

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Valtorta, His  
Honour, Mr. Justice J. R. Wood and  
Mrs. Wood, His Honour, Mr. R. E.  
Lindell, His Excellency, the G. O. C.,  
Major General O. C. Borrett, C. B.,  
C. M. G., C. B. E., D. S. O., and Mrs.  
Borrett and A. D. C., Commander  
Marrack, D. S. C., R. N., and Mrs.  
Marrack, Sqd. Ldr. Wood and Mrs.  
Wood, Hon. Mr. Paul Lauder and  
Mrs. Lauder, Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau,  
Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, Hon. Dr.  
Ts'o, O. B. E., L. L. D., and Mrs. Ts'o,  
Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotowall, C. M. G.,  
L. L. D., Hon. Commander Newell,  
D. S. O., R. N., Hon. Dr. Wellington  
and Mrs. Wellington, Hon. Mr.  
E. D. C. Wolfe and Mrs. Wolfe, Hon.  
Mr. C. G. Mackie, Hon. Sir Shou-son  
Chow, Kt., L. L. D., Hon. Sir Henry  
Pollock, Kt., K. C., and Lady Pollock,  
Hon. Mr. A. G. W. Tiedke, Hon.  
Mr. M. J. Breen, Hon. Mr. A. E.  
Wood, Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster,  
K. C., O. B. E., Hon. Sir Thomas  
Southern, K. B. E., C. M. G., and Lady  
Southern.

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COMMISSIONER.**

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APPOINTMENT TO BE MADE  
ON OCTOBER 1

As exclusively reported in the  
China Mail last Tuesday a British  
Trade Commissioner is to be ap-  
pointed to Hong Kong.

A statement issued from the  
Colonial Secretary's office on Friday  
morning informed that the ap-  
pointment will be made by the  
Colonial Office in London on Octo-  
ber 1.

No other details regarding the  
exact status of the Commissioner  
have been received, but it is pre-  
sumed that his department will be  
run on similar lines to the British  
Trade Commissioner's office in  
Shanghai.

It is possible that in addition to  
looking after the trade interests of  
the United Kingdom, the Trade  
Commissioner in Hong Kong will be  
requested to act on behalf of several  
of the Dominions not represented in  
the Colony.

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